

Final Bulletins

'Nazis Can Shell New York'—F.D.R.

WASHINGTON (AP)—President Roosevelt told a press conference today that—under certain conditions—the enemy could shell New York tomorrow or drop bombs on Detroit tonight.

Italian Destroyer Hit

CAIRO (AP)—A communiqué here late today said an Italian destroyer was believed to have been hit Monday in an attack on Fascist naval units in the Ionian Sea, between southern Italy and Greece.

Sugar Duty Cut

OTTAWA (CP)—Due to increased costs of imported sugar and the desirability of encouraging maximum production of beet sugar, the excise duty on sugar has been reduced from 2 to 1½ cents a pound. Finance Minister Linsley told the House of Commons this afternoon. The tax reduction is to prevent an increase in the retail price.

Nazis Sink Own Ship

LONDON (CP)—The Admiralty announced tonight an Axis U-boat has sunk one of its own ships, the 5,083-ton German steamship Spreewald, 450 miles north of the Azores. The communiqué made no mention of possible survivors. The vessel Jan. 31 sent out an SOS stating it had been torpedoed and giving the name of a British ship which the Admiralty knew was not in the vicinity. Later the SOS was repeated "with great urgency" and the true name of the stricken ship given. British patrols searched the area and found a patch of oil three miles wide.

Nazis 'Discover' Murder Document

LONDON (CP)—The German radio announced tonight discovery of what was described as a "sensational document" containing plans to murder Hitler and German Foreign Minister von Ribbentrop, among the personal papers of former French Premier Edouard Daladier and the former French Minister to the Netherlands.

The German radio described the document as a "plan of the (Allied) intelligence service to murder the Fuehrer and Reich Foreign Minister published by competent circles."

The former French Minister to the Netherlands, Baron d'Arnould de Vitrolles, was killed when he was run down by a bus in blacked-out London Oct. 2, 1940.

Daladier is a prisoner of the Vichy government in unoccupied France, where he is awaiting trial at Riom on charges of "responsibility for France's defeat."

Hit 2 Cruisers

CAIRO (AP)—British naval aircraft scored torpedo hits on two Italian cruisers and a destroyer in the central Mediterranean, it was announced today.

An R.A.F. Command communiqué said the British planes had attacked "a strong formation of the Italian fleet," and that their torpedoes had left one cruiser "well ablaze." One additional destroyer was listed as probably hit.

The attack was made last Sunday night, the R.A.F. reported.

'Shonan' to Japs

TOKYO (From Japanese Broadcasts, AP)—Japanese headquarters announced today the Japanese would call Singapore "Shonan Port." It was explained Shonan literally means "light of the south."

Island Victory Clock Shows \$602,950 Sales

Hand of the Vancouver Island Victory clock moved to the \$602,950 mark at noon today as it started its circular journey to the \$9,850,000 objective set for this region in Canada's Second Victory Loan.

Every bond purchased pushes the hand a little further around. Up to noon the following subscriptions had been made:

Victoria, \$367,000; Esquimalt, \$55,500; Oak Bay, \$45,150; Saanich, \$21,000; Duncan, \$43,000; Nanaimo, \$39,800; Courtenay, \$10,500; and Port Alberni, \$21,000.

Kill 200 Jap Pilots

BATAVIA (AP)—The Japanese lost at least 200 pilots in the battle for Singapore, according to information given the news agency Aneta by three Australian fliers who escaped to Java in the final hours of the siege.

Saving Gasoline

MELBOURNE (AAP)—A tourist service passenger bus has completed a trip from Melbourne to Sydney, a distance of 700 miles, on two gallons of gasoline by using a producer gas unit, it was announced today. The driver switched on the gasoline only on steep grades when the bus was heavily loaded.

Secret Sitting This Week

OTTAWA (CP)—It was stated this afternoon 15 more members wish to join in the debate on the address in reply to the speech from the throne in the Commons. It is expected Prime Minister King will hold a conference with leaders of the opposition groups to decide the date of the secret sitting which he told the House Monday would be held.

Veterans' Committee

OTTAWA (CP)—Pensions Minister Mackenzie gave notice in the Commons' votes and proceedings today of a resolution to set up a select committee "to which shall be referred all matters relating to the settlement of veterans of the present war on the land in Canada."

Plan Reconstruction

LONDON (CP)—Principal Cyril James of McGill University has arrived in Britain to survey and discuss with British officials post-war reconstruction plans on behalf of the Canadian government.

'I Am' Movement Leader Convicted

LOS ANGELES (CP)—Mrs. Edna W. Ballard, leader of the "I Am" movement, was sentenced today to pay a fine of \$8,000 for using the mails to defraud. Her son, Donald, convicted with her, was fined \$400. The jury had recommended clemency for him.



SGT. PILOT EARL "PUD" FOSTER

SGT. PILOT EARL "PUD" FOSTER, 24, was killed on active service with the R.A.F. near Tobruk, Feb. 10, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Foster, 1139 Hilda Street, learned by cable today. Victoria born, he attended Sir James Douglas and Victoria High Schools and was well known as an athlete, having starred as a member of the Arrows senior A men's basketball team. Young Foster joined the R.C.A.F. in October, 1940, and was posted to the R.A.F. in Africa in December, 1941. He is survived by a brother, P.O. Frank Foster, R.C.N., Esquimalt; two sisters, Mrs. A. Watson and Mrs. Charles Stables, and his parents.



Canada's Chief War Role Now in Pacific?

By BRUCE HUTCHISON
OTTAWA—Defence of the Pacific coast has become the most urgent issue before Parliament, has roused B.C. members to threats of revolt and has compelled the government to reconsider its basic plan of war.

The government will indicate at a secret session of Parliament, probably Thursday, new plans of coastal defences. This much was indicated to the Commons by Prime Minister King last night. But the problem goes much deeper than any minor changes in coastal defence forces which

the government contemplates at the moment.

Today Parliament is squarely faced with this basic question: What is Canada's role to be in a new kind of war never foreseen when its present military plan was fixed? That plan obviously was designed for a European war and in pursuance of it the main military strength of the nation has been concentrated in Britain. Now war has become something else entirely and while Canadian troops continue to move across the Atlantic, the British Empire is being torn apart in the Pacific.

MILITARY MIND LAGS AGAIN

Can Canada continue to operate on the original plan? Obviously it cannot, but it is difficult for military advisers who have long planned for another kind of war to adjust themselves to an entirely new world situation. The government, it may be said, has adjusted its mind rapidly and its changed views will be reflected in changed policies. For example, there is good reason to believe the fourth Canadian Division will not go to Britain as scheduled this year unless an equivalent force can be built

and equipped for defence of Canada.

CANADIAN VIEW GAINS
Within the cabinet is powerful opinion, probably a majority opinion, in favor of a heavy increase in Canadian defences on both coasts and a growing belief that Canada's chief role may be in the Pacific rather than the Atlantic.

Men of the highest importance here are agnostic at the steady movement of Canada's military strength eastward away from the active centres of war today. The real problem at the moment is equipment, not man-

power. Canada has large numbers of soldiers in uniform in Canada, but most of its large output of weapons is going everywhere but to these men.

This is the considered and enlightened policy, in accordance with Mr. King's dictum of Jan. 26, that "the best defence of Canada is to hit the enemy before he can arrive here." But Mr. King's present view can be gauged by his further statement that "the foundation of the whole war effort is maintenance of security of our own Canadian territory."

In the secret session, Mr. King will be asked whether he has made good the promise thus outlined,

especially in the matter of weapons. He will be asked whether it isn't possible in the rising state of production to use at least a minor part in Canadian defence.

BRASS HATS DISCOUNT B.C.

Behind all this is a strong feeling of criticism against the government's chief military advisers who again and again have insisted that the coast of British Columbia is in no real danger of anything worse than air raids.

This view, it can be stated definitely, is widely rejected by private members and important cabinet ministers.

Australia Calls for Total Mobilization Reds Near Novgorod; Nazis Admit Losses

Germans Prepare To Quit Kharkov On Ukraine Front

By EDDY GILMORE

MOSCOW (AP)—Steadily driving Russian troops on the north-western front crushed formidable German counter-attacks today and were reported endangering Novgorod, strongly held enemy city 120 miles south of Leningrad.

Russian military sources said today they had been told by a German prisoner that the Germans are making preparations to evacuate Kharkov, chief industrial city of the Ukraine. (A Berlin broadcast heard in New York today admitted the Russians had advanced 180 miles in some sectors since the start of their winter offensive.)

Russian war dispatches said the Germans, attempting to hold their springboard points for Hitler's spring drive, hurled tanks into counter-thrusts in the Donets basin and the Russians inflicted heavy casualties. Fresh Nazi reserves were used.

In the far north along the Finnish frontier near Murmansk and Kandalaksha, German and Austrian troops were reported suffering intensely from frostbite.

BRITISH PLANES, TANKS

Hurricane fighters and British-made tanks were hammering against the Germans in the centre before Smolensk. The army publication Red Star said reserve troops were being accumulated not only by the Germans, but by the Red army.

The Soviet Information Bureau said 3,650 Germans had been killed in four recent engagements on the winter front, 2,500 of them in a one-day battle which resulted in the destruction of a number of Nazi dugouts in the Leningrad region.

The Red army forces captured two mortars, 12 machine guns, 620 mines and a large number of automatic rifles and hand grenades in the Leningrad zone fighting, a communiqué announced.

650 IN ONE ZONE

The Germans lost 650 men killed and more than 300 wounded in one zone of the western front, 200 dead in another sector, and 300 in a southern front sector under Russian attacks intended both to shatter winter invasion lines and upset plans of Hitler for a recouping spring offensive.

(A London report indicated the southern jaw of the Red army's central front pincers—almost matching gains in the north—had thrust past the German base at Smolensk with an advance of 80 miles or more from the Kirov zone, which lies 150 miles southwest of Moscow.

CROSS SOZH RIVER

(The BBC told of this development, saying the Russians had crossed the Sozh River, which winds southwestward for 200 miles across Smolensk province and White Russia to empty into the Dnieper at the Ukrainian frontier.)

The Soviet information bureau said several German counter-attacks were repulsed on the southwestern front.

"Soviet cavalrymen on the northwestern front," the bureau announced, "liberated 40 inhabited localities from the Germans during the last few days."

Another Thing That 'Couldn't Happen'



Churchill Speaks

Scharnhorst Inquiry Speeded

LONDON (CP)—Germany told the use of her 26,000-ton battleships Gneisenau and Scharnhorst "for some time to come" and Britain strengthened her command of the seas in last week's battle of the English Channel.

Prime Minister Churchill declared today in an accounting to the House of Commons. (See text of statement page 3.)

Damage inflicted on the German ships during their dash for freedom will lay them up for repairs, the Prime Minister declared, and before they are seaworthy again "the Royal Navy will be reinforced by important units of the highest quality," along with big new ships joining the United States navy to meet their challenge.

Conducting the inquiry is Mr. Justice Bucknill of the High Court of Justice, and he has the assistance of a naval and air force officer—Air Chief Marshal Sir Edgar Ludlow-Hewitt, former chief of the bomber command, representing R.A.F., and Vice-Admiral Sir Hugh Binnie, who was on the staff of the commander-in-chief of the Grand Fleet in 1918, the navy.

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the attack more specifically in Heligoland Bight. The Germans claimed a British plane was shot down "in a flight carried out by isolated British bombers."

Mr. Churchill was greeted with cheers, both as he entered and left the Chamber. After he had concluded his main statement he was confronted with a series of questions.

Sir Hugh O'Neill, Conservative from Antrim, northern Ireland, urged the government inform the public if any blame attaches to one individual in the Scharnhorst-Gneisenau inquiry in the same manner as the United States named individuals in the Pearl Harbor probe.

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Every Human Being, All Material Used

SYDNEY (CP)—Prime Minister John Curtin announced today the war cabinet had been directed to mobilize all human and material resources in Australia for defence of the Commonwealth against the Japanese.

The full federal cabinet instructed the war cabinet to issue the necessary regulations.

Australia was put on a full war footing in answer to Mr. Curtin's call for mobilization of the island continent's manpower and resources.

"That means clearly and specifically that every human being in this country is now at the service of the government to work for the defence of Australia," he said in a statement.

"Only two things stand between us and the overthrow of everything we have and hope to have. These are the heroism and fighting power of our men going to battle and the industry, zeal and devotion of the men left behind."

The federal cabinet, meanwhile, set up an Allied Works Council under control of E. G. Theodore, former federal treasurer. He will be known as the director-general of the Allied Works Council and will have more power than any other official except the director-general of munitions, Essington Lewis.

Mr. Curtin announced Senator J. M. Fraser, Minister of External Territories, had been appointed Assistant Army Minister.

W. J. Scully, Minister of Commerce, and E. J. Holloway, Minister of Social Services and Health, were appointed to the production executive.

In his statement on mobilization, Mr. Curtin said:

"We have reached the stage when a new way of life is impelled on us. All your leisure now—whether due to industrial regulation or your fortunate position—must be devoted to the service of your fellowmen."

"The challenge has been flung down. Adversity has never cowed you, overwhelming odds have never intimidated you, and today I call on you to invoke all the best qualities of your ancestry. Go forth to the workshop and factory to work there as long as you can stand."

Japs' Effort Is to Destroy

"When you go forth to war, you go for the defence of your life, because Japan does not hoist its flag in any territories it occupies until it first destroys the life of all who would resist."

"We are 7,000,000 people occupying the largest continental island on earth. We have tamed this country, gone into the vast open spaces and filled it with courageous men and women. From the day Capt. Arthur Philip landed, this land has been governed by men and women of our race. We do not intend that this should be destroyed because an aggressor marches against us."

The Prime Minister spoke at the opening of the \$35,000,000 (\$124,000,000) Liberty Loan drive.

The Melbourne Herald's political correspondent wrote today that federal cabinet meetings in Sydney are deciding on the scope of the measures affecting the lives of all Australians. He said they will be the Australian answer to the warning of the Japanese premier, Gen. Hideki Tojo, to the United States "to avoid useless war."

The correspondent added that the government is discussing strategy and the possibility of further reverses in the Netherlands East Indies bringing the front line closer to Australia.

Less Gasoline For People's Use

Australian consumption of non-essential gasoline will be immediately reviewed because the bulk of N.E.I. supplies have been cut off from Australia. Sport is certain to be limited further and revision of the reserved occupation list is being carried out.

The correspondent reported that the cabinet atmosphere is still entirely against allowing all the federal parties to participate in the responsibility of the government, but that an inside guess is that this attitude will change rapidly under the stress of actual war on Australia's shores.

The press, in commenting on the new threat to Australia, shows calm realization of the dangers, but on a whole little desire to waste time seeking scapegoats.

The Adelaide Advertiser criticizes a proposal of the Times of London for a drastic reconstruction of the British War Cabinet, declaring: "To the extent that we are cool and unshaken, we must set our minds against hasty and ill-considered proceedings and wholesale swapping of horses in the middle of a very turbulent and perilous stream. The Axis nerve will snap quicker if we keep our nerves under proper control."

A.R.P. OFFICER LEAVING POST



Wm. Ellis, chief local A.R.P. officer, will resign at the end of the month, according to a statement by Mayor Andrew McGavin at Monday's City Council meeting.

The council had heard a letter from E. W. Abraham deprecating Victoria's civilian protection work, accusing the city of "buck-passing" on the issue, and calling for effective preparations for a raid.

The letter was received and filed, with the mayor commenting: "It's stuff like this that has been annoying our A.R.P. man and we're going to lose him at the end of the month."

Board Will Stop All-night Liquor

Vancouver's all-night liquor store will be closed March 1, W. F. Kennedy, B.C. Liquor Commissioner, said today.

Four of the six stores in Vancouver will be open on week-days as usual, from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m., but on Saturdays and days before holidays they will be open from 1 p.m. to 9 p.m.

The other two stores will be open on week-days and Saturdays from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.

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ARMY CASUALTIES

OTTAWA (CP) — Death of 10 members of the Canadian (Active) Army is reported in the army's 88th casualty list of the war, raising to 582 total army dead and missing officially reported since the war began.

Four men were listed as dangerously ill, and six as seriously ill.

Included in the new list are names of three members of a central Ontario regiment, who were killed during battle drill, when they accidentally ran into a mine field.

The men—Ptes. Ray McKown and W. S. Pearce of Toronto, and T. A. Partridge of Calgary—were members of a unit that had been carrying out intensive drills with emphasis on commando tactics.

Following is the latest list of casualties overseas:

Dead — Canadian Dental Corps, Capt. Morgan Charles Hawkins, Cobourg, Ont.; Canadian Armored Corps, Trooper Samuel Vittorio, Iroquois, Ont.; Royal Canadian Artillery, Acting Lt. Bdr. Lewis Robert Geldart, Moncton, N.B.; Bdr. Francis Gunn, Brantford, Ont.

Infantry—Pte. Mack Menzies, Rapid City, Man.; Central Ontario Regiment, Pte. Ray McKown, Toronto; Pte. Thomas Albert Partridge, Calgary; Pte. William Stewart Pearce, Toronto; Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island Regiment, Corp. Walter Murray Marshall, Weymouth, N.S.

Divisional Troops — Corp. George Spencer, Port Credit, Ont.

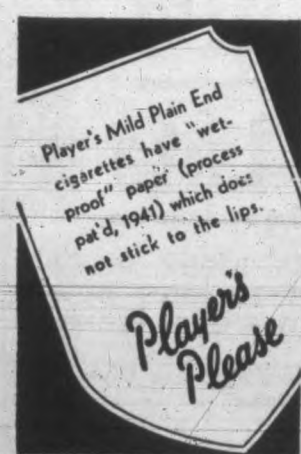
Dangerously ill — Central Ontario Regiment, Pte. Albert Thomas Hendry, Toronto; Quebec Regiment, Pte. George Garnett Windsor, Montreal; Saskatchewan Regiment, Pte. Hector MacDonald Murray, Moncton, Ont.; Royal Canadian Army Service Corps, Pte. Joseph Jean Charles Larrivee, Mont Joli, Que.

Seriously ill — Capt. Charles Graham Stewart, Stony Creek, Ont.; Royal Canadian Corps of Signals, Signalman Robert Garland Ogletree, Dresden, Ont.; Central Ontario Regiment, Sgt. Leslie Morgan Fowlston, Toronto; Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island Regiment, Pte. Basil Sidney Colbran, Halifax; Royal Canadian Ordnance Corps, Pte. Arthur John Pearson, Toronto; Pte. Leslie Levi Deal, Halifax.

Calcutta Editor Urges Beaverbrook Resign

CALCUTTA (CP) — Arthur Moore, editor of the Calcutta Statesman, called today for the resignation of Britain's Minister of War Production, Lord Beaverbrook, whom he styled "the evil genius of the inner cabinet."

He charged Lord Beaverbrook with hoarding "tens of thousands of aircraft and tanks in England behind his Maginot Line of the (English) Channel," claiming the minister was obsessed with "the invasion bogey."



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Churchill Says German Warships' Flight From Brest Eases Atlantic Battle

LONDON (AP) — Prime Minister Churchill made this statement to the House of Commons today:

I will deal first of all with the naval episode. In March last two German cruisers, the Scharnhorst and Gneisenau, took refuge in Brest harbor, where they were joined in May by the Prinz Eugen after destruction of the Bismarck.

The position of these ships became a serious preoccupation for the Admiralty. They lay on the flank of our convoy route to the east. They could make a sortie at any time on to Atlantic trade routes or into the Mediterranean. Accordingly the Admiralty have pressed for their continual attack from the air in the hope of disabling them or preventing them from being repaired.

This process continued for more than 10 months, during which time the ships were undoubtedly hit several times and repair work made very difficult. No less than 4,000 tons of bombs were dropped and 3,299 bomber sorties were made upon them with the loss of 247 air force personnel and 43 aircraft.

As we were never in a position to know when some or all of these ships might put to sea, the situation entailed almost continuous naval precautions in the hope of being ready at all times to meet various threats which these ships constituted.

A further serious feature was the very grievous subtraction from the bombing efforts against Germany. Bombing of these ships

was, however, so severe that the Germans evidently came to the decision they could not maintain them any longer at Brest, and that they must return to Germany. We do not know whether this was for the purpose of effecting final repairs or to enable them to work up to full efficiency in the sheltered waters of the Baltic.

However this may be, the Germans resolved to try to bring the ships back to Germany. This was a very hazardous operation. It could be done either by sailing around the British Islands and returning via Norway or by a dash up the Channel. The Germans rejected the plan of returning by the north route and preferred to run the admittedly serious risk of the Channel passage.

In the Atlantic Ocean they would have to run the great risk of being picked up by our extensive air reconnaissance from the shore and from aircraft carriers, or being slowed down by torpedo attacks and brought to action against an overwhelming force as was the Bismarck.

The Channel route, on the other hand, was a run of under 24 hours. Part of it could be made in darkness and they had the opportunity of choosing the weather which would be the most favorable the whole way through the Channel and along the Dutch coast. They had the advantage of a powerful air umbrella. The dangers of passing through the Straits of Dover under suitable weather conditions were not great. Our slow convoys repeatedly have traversed the Straits of Dover

and are repeatedly bombed by German guns on the French shore. But this has not stopped our convoy traffic.

Enemy Ships Avoided Mines

One great danger was mines, but this they might hope to avoid by energetic sweeping. There remained, therefore, the action of our surface ships and aircraft. Air reconnaissance would show the Germans that there were no heavy ships or even cruisers in these waters, and therefore attacks by flotillas of destroyers and small torpedo boats were all that need be expected apart from the air. Some people seem to think that heavy forces should have been stationed so as to be able to intercept them in the Channel or North Sea. Had we done so our ships would have been open to the same scale of air attack as such the Germans at Brest, and such dispositions would have dangerously weakened the protective measures which we have to take to safeguard our convoys on the northern passages and deal with the other heavy German ships, Tirpitz, Luetzow and Scheer.

The Admiralty did not consider that an attempt to run up the Channel would be an impossible operation under the conditions which prevailed, and this was certainly much less to be apprehended than that they should break out on to the trade routes or to the Mediterranean.

No one can doubt the vigor and courage with which the enemy squadron were attacked as soon

as its movements were perceived. Of course, everyone is very sorry that these ships were not sunk.

The only questions which are open are: First, why was their movement not detected shortly after daylight, and secondly, was contact and liaison between the coastal command and the Admiralty and also between other RFAF commands and the Admiralty as close as it should have been?

Inquiry Findings May Not Be Published

At the suggestion of the Admiralty and the Air Ministry, I have directed that an inquiry shall be held into these points. The inquiry will be secret and I doubt very much whether its results will be found suitable for publication.

I am not prepared to give any information about the inquiry or any undertaking that its results will be made public.

Although it may somewhat surprise the House and the public, I should like to state that in the opinion of the Admiralty, with which I most cordially concur, the abandonment by the Germans of their position at Brest has been decidedly beneficial to our war situation.

A threat to our convoy routes has been removed and the enemy has been driven to leave an advantageous position. The diversion of our air bombing effort, which though necessary was so wasteful, is over and a heavier scale of attack on Germany is now possible.

sible in which all the near misses will fall on German and not on French dwellings.

Further, both the Scharnhorst and Gneisenau have received damage in their passage which will keep them out of action for some time to come, and they will have to have gunnery and other practice. Before they can again play any part in the war the Royal Navy will be reinforced by various important units of highest quality and a similar strengthening process is going forward in the navy of the United States.

Whatever smart of disappointment or annoyance may remain in our breasts that the final forfeit was not exacted, there is no doubt that the naval position in the Atlantic, so far from being worsened, is definitely eased.

No Full Statement Now on Singapore

I have also been asked whether I will make a statement about the fall of Singapore. This extremely grave event was not unexpected, and its possibility was comprised within the scope of the argument which I submitted to the House on the occasion of the vote of confidence three weeks ago.

The House has, of course, many opportunities of discussing this and other aspects of the war situation. I am sure it would be a great mistake for us to start to discuss it this afternoon in the short time available.

I have no information to give to the House other than that contained in the public press, nor would it be prudent to speculate

in detail upon various evil consequences which may follow from the fall of Singapore.

Moreover, it would ill become the dignity of the government and of the House, and would render poor service to the alliance of which we are a part if we were dragged into recriminations at a time when our minds are oppressed with a sense of tragedy and with the sorrow of so lamentable a misfortune.

Far East Debate At Later Date

Perhaps at a later date, when we are more fully informed, and when carefully-considered statements may be made, the House may wish for further debate on the situation in the Far East and on the prospect of its being retrieved by combined action of the Allied powers concerned. I should certainly not take part in any such discussion now. However, as some members may be otherwise inclined, and as I did not wish to prevent them from expressing their opinion, I decided to move the adjournment as I have done.

The government will listen to debate which takes place, and I hope I may be permitted to remind the House of the extremely serious situation in which we stand, and the use which is made in hostile, and even Allied countries of any loose or intemperate language into which anyone may be drawn, and the importance of the Commons maintaining its reputation for firmness and courage in the face of adversity.

From all operations Monday, two planes were reported missing.

If their vote had changed, they were asked:

"What is your chief reason for switching to the other party?"

Analysis of the replies to these questions indicated that of those who voted the Liberal ticket in 1940, about 7 per cent would now vote Conservative, and about 5 per cent for the C.C.F. Among those who voted Conservative about 9 per cent would vote Liberal today, and a negligible percentage would vote C.C.F. The survey shows.

Axis Ships Sunk In Biscay Bay

LONDON (CP) — British coastal command aircraft sank two small ships Monday in the Bay of Biscay, it was announced today.

An Air Ministry communique said a third ship in a convoy was left down by the bow following the attack in the bay, formed

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Northwest German ports and airfields in Holland were listed as targets of the bomber command in raids Monday night.

"At dusk," a communique said, "Hurricane" bombers of the fighter command attacked shipping off the French coast, damaging at least one enemy patrol vessel."

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New Libel Law Suggested By M.P.

OTTAWA (CP) — R. W. Gladstone, Liberal, South Wellington, Ont., Monday proposed in the House of Commons that the libel section of the Criminal Code should be amended to provide for prosecution of newspapers guilty of "coloring news in a way that is detrimental to the morale of the nation in time of war."

Mr. Gladstone was speaking in the debate on the address in reply to the Speech From the Throne.

He quoted from some newspaper reports of speeches in the House, not naming the papers, to illustrate his contention that wrong impressions were given by using only parts of statements, playing up certain observations and ignoring others.

A submarine was built in Holland as early as 1620.

VANCOUVER WANTS JAPS OUT

VANCOUVER (CP) — The Vancouver City Council has passed resolutions asking the Dominion government to remove all residents of Japanese racial origin and enemy aliens "to parts of Canada well removed from the Pacific coast," and to re-establish the special British Columbia Japanese committee.

The resolutions are being forwarded to Prime Minister Mackenzie King and to British Columbia members of Parliament.

The first resolution also asks that the migration of the Japanese be conducted under conditions which will provide them with a reasonable livelihood.

Alderman H. D. Wilson, sponsor of both resolutions, said the first motion, if approved by Ottawa, would mean that all Japanese, of all ages, would be removed from defence areas.

"My apprehension is that lots may happen before April," he

said. "The committee has only started its work."

"We shall never get action from the authorities until we first impress them with our sincerity in this matter," Alderman Charles Jones said, adding that Alderman Wilson's moves should be directed more against all enemy aliens and not Japanese in particular.

"Nobody could fail to support this move to protect British Columbia, but we are not going to be led around by the nose," Alderman Jones said. "When I am satisfied someone is acting out of the fullness of their heart instead of playing for the front pages of the newspapers, I will support him."

Alderman Wilson demanded a retraction of the charge that he was seeking publicity and said it was "as far from the truth as it could be."

A motion from the city of Victoria asking the federal government to remove from the coast "all persons of enemy-races" was abandoned in favor of the resolutions moved by Alderman Wilson.

Gallup Poll

Survey Analyzes Reasons Behind Vote Changes

By Canadian Institute of Public Opinion

TORONTO — What causes voters to switch their allegiance from one major political party to another, between elections?

A surprising amount of such switching was revealed in a survey by the Canadian Institute of Public Opinion (Gallup Poll).

That the war is foremost in the political thinking of Canadian voters is evidenced by the fact that in all cases, matters pertaining to Canada's conduct of the war were given most frequent mention as reason for the switching. For example, among the 7 per cent of those who voted Liberal in 1940, but said they would today vote Conservative, most frequent explanation given was: "They (present government) are not doing enough for the war."

On the other hand, an almost directly contradictory motive led among those reasons given by the 9 per cent who would change their vote from a 1940 Conservative to a 1942 Liberal vote. Most common answer among this group was: "Because the present government is doing a good job."

Next most popular reason for changing vote from Conservative to Liberal was "because I like their (the Liberal) policies." A large percentage of those who voted Liberal in 1940 but now think they would vote Conservative or C.C.F. gave, as a reason, the matter of conscription, and their belief the party they now supported would be more likely to enact conscription for overseas service. This was the second most popular reason for bolting the Liberal ranks. While a much smaller percentage of bolting Conservatives mentioned the conscription issue directly, it is probable that in many cases the phrase, "because I like their policies" implied what the voter believed to be the policy of the present administration with regard to conscription.

In analyzing these results, it should be remembered that half those who indicated they would change their vote, gave no reason for doing so.

This is the first time that "between-elections" political sentiment has been scientifically measured, and, as recently reported, net result of the switching was to leave the relative strength of the major parties approximately the same as it was in 1940.

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Those Nazi Battleships

MANY OF THOSE WHO GAZE AT THE battle from afar may remember for some time to come the "escape" of the Gneisenau, the Scharnhorst, and the Prinz Eugen, just as we still recall how the British public felt when Sir Redvers Buller met defeat in the Battle of Spion Kop in the South African War. Nor have we forgotten how the German battleships Goeben and Breslau evaded the vigilance—or the presumed lack of it—of the British Mediterranean and French fleets in the early days of the first world conflict. Admittedly, news of the Nazi naval "dash" from Brest to Heligoland was bitter enough to swallow in itself; and it had to be mixed with the daily cable fare from Singapore and the gloom from the whole southern Pacific area. Now comes a German high command communique telling us that British bombers already have begun attacks on the badly battered battleships and their cruiser escort, coupled with a London dispatch announcing that the craft which "escaped" last week received new blows in their flight that will keep them out of action for many weeks.

Although we may feel inclined to be skeptical about the damage further bombings of the Gneisenau and Scharnhorst may occasion, it is gratifying to note that by the time they are ready for combat—if they reach that stage—"the Royal Navy will be reinforced by various important units of the highest quality, and a similar process is going forward in the Navy of the United States." Mr. Churchill also says today that "whatever smart of disappointment or annoyance may remain in our breasts that the final forfeit was not exacted, there is no doubt that the naval position in the Atlantic, so far from being worsened, is definitely eased." Then, too, our neighbor on the south yesterday launched the 35,000-ton battleship Alabama—nine months ahead of schedule. She will not be firing her guns at enemy craft for many months; but this sharp reminder of rapid progress toward her completion undoubtedly is being duplicated by accelerated activity in all the yards of the United States that are engaged on the construction of a two-ocean navy. Moreover, as the Prime Minister further implies, if the enemy has abandoned Brest as a base, it will be "decidedly beneficial to us," because the "threat to our convoys by the ships there is now removed." All things considered, then, failure to exact the "final forfeit" on the two battleships and their cruiser escort may not be fraught with such dire consequences as we feared while we were stunned under the first impact of the news.

Real Collaboration

ON THE FRONT PAGE OF THIS newspaper yesterday, Premier Hart, in his capacity as British Columbia's Minister of Finance, was shown filling out the province's application for \$5,000,000 worth of Canada's Second Victory Loan bonds. Here was still another practical implementation of the pledge he gave to Mr. King in Ottawa when the war was less than a month old; he then assured the Prime Minister that British Columbia would raise no issues that might embarrass the Dominion administration while Canada was at war in defence of the Empire's cause, and that all the province's resources were available as the occasion demanded. As head of the coalition ministry, moreover, Premier Hart lost no opportunity during the recent session of the Legislature to demonstrate in every way possible the official intention of British Columbia to go the limit in its support of the national effort—a resolve unanimously concurred in by the whole membership.

But the people of this province realize, as do Canadians everywhere, that vocal exercise in behalf of a good cause has neither meaning nor effect unless it is backed up by action of the practical kind. Mr. Hart is nothing if not a realist. Through his long years as guardian of the treasury he has had to turn a deaf ear to many requests for money. It was not always the popular thing to do; but he regarded it as in the public interest. Largely because he has so carefully husbanded the province's finances—especially when record revenues have been emphasized by special pleaders as justification for lifting the lid of the cash box—has he been able to invest \$5,000,000 in the nation's Second Victory Loan, which Canada needs and which, by the same token, is good business for British Columbia. It represents action, incidentally, proving the coalition cabinet's unanimous resolve to collaborate heartily with the Dominion.

That Second Front

BASED ON THE ASSUMPTION THAT attack is often the best defence, and mindful of Mr. Churchill's belief that Hitler still intends to try to invade the British Isles, new demands are being heard in Britain for a continental offensive to coincide with the stiffer resistance which the Germans appear to be putting up against the relentless attack by the valiant men of the Soviet Union. Boded down to a few words, arguments advanced on these lines are based on the self-evident fact that failure to strike a decisive blow at the chief

enemy in Europe, in a moment when the chances of doing so seemed to be good, would be regarded as a grievous error of judgment. Many observers in Britain, for instance, believe the enemy is already in a desperate plight, and that to miss the golden opportunity of hitting him hard this spring would be the height of madness. And these are powerful arguments that nobody will feel inclined lightly to dismiss. Obviously, if the Germans are in the parlous condition many think, the one thing they will wish to discourage is a British landing. On the other hand, however, if they are not in such serious straits—and evidence is lacking to suggest that they are—and if they have the idea that Britain's new commitments are becoming a burden, the Herr Doktor Goebbels conceivably might try to launch a propaganda campaign to entice Britain into another blunder from which she might find it difficult to recover.

The question arises in any discussion of this kind as to what shipping and other preparations would be necessary to land an expeditionary force on any part of the Nazi-occupied coastline which stretches from the North Cape to Cape Finisterre. Lord Gort's dispatches—published last October—tell us, for example, that Britain promised France the first British corps would take its place on October 3, 1939, and the second about October 12; actually, the first British force reached the front line nearly two months after the outbreak of war—despite the fact that all plans and preparations had been carefully worked out beforehand. Britain's shipping then, of course, had suffered little from enemy interference, and her forces crossed completely-controlled waters without mishap. They landed on territory, moreover, untouched by war; not a shot was fired against them, not a bomb fell. That was a two months' job under the most favorable conditions. Moreover, where there is complete mastery of the seas and the air, the movement of an army across water is an operation of considerable magnitude, even when the landing is to be made on the friendly soil of a nation which possesses the industry necessary for the maintenance of an army in the field. If, on the other hand, there are no industries which can be converted for maintenance purposes, they have to be taken by force. These are some of the elementary points which are often forgotten by the armchair critics; but no government can afford to overlook them.

This Is War

ASSURANCE COMES FROM MR. R. W. Mayhew, M.P., that enemy aliens in British Columbia's most vulnerable areas will be moved out of harm's way immediately—a movement previously scheduled to begin on April 1, a most unfortunate date in the light of the leisurely view which hitherto has been taken of what is obviously a serious and highly-dangerous situation. The Victoria member of the House of Commons implies, however, that only through the persistent demands of the parliamentary representatives of this province has this more intelligent action been taken.

It would seem superfluous to repeat that this is no time for the use of kid gloves where the safety of our people and the security of our public utilities are concerned. True enough, some hardship may be occasioned; but this is war, the most brutal kind of war the world has ever known. When an official of Himmler's Gestapo calls at the home of a suspected person in any part of continental Europe dominated by the Nazi brutes he does not study the comfort or convenience of the object of his visit; the victim is yanked off immediately—either to the concentration camp or to face the firing squad. Decent treatment will be afforded to those here who merit it; and all enemy nationals who profess their loyalty to Canada can best prove it by recognizing their position and behaving accordingly. There must be no more flirting with danger.

The trouble with certain European nations is certain European notions.

SHORT VS. LONG-RANGE VIEWS

From Daily News, New York

The southwest Pacific news is practically all bad, and there is no sense in kidding ourselves that it isn't. We are still hoping that plans are on ice in American high command circles to assign MacArthur to some other post in time to get him out of the Philippines alive and uncaptured.

The long-range facts in the case, though, go on being favorable to our side. We still have the productive apparatus to outrun the whole Axis in production of planes, tanks, guns and ships.

The War Production Board, though releasing no detailed figures, says that plane, machine tool, tank and gun production has hit a steep upward curve since Pearl Harbor, and that this is only the beginning. Allied air power is known to be increasing steadily in the southwest Pacific.

All this means that, though the Japs may win their present race against time, there will be a lot more time after that for the Allies. We may get slapped around for a good part of this year. But all the while, we'll be building more and more war materials and training more and more men. If we hang onto Hawaii at all costs, we'll be able to build up our war machine to any desired size, almost, meanwhile helping our Allies with more and more supplies. We've got the economic apparatus, and the Axis, comparatively speaking, hasn't. It's a war of factories plus trained men.

It's foolish and dangerous to kid ourselves that we aren't second best in the fight up to now. But it would be even more foolish and dangerous for us to lose heart now.

Bruce Hutchison

WHITE TOAST

DIARY OF THE DAY: As usual it was impossible to get brown toast for breakfast. You can seldom get what you order in an Ottawa restaurant, owing to the war. Every dining-room is so crowded, every waitress so overworked, that it's a wonder we eat at all—and we always eat badly. Finnan haddie in cream, ordered at lunch, turned out to be baked lake trout, but the fact that it was fish might be considered quite a remarkable success.

The news was bad again and everybody on the Hill very blue. A piece in the Christian Science Monitor partly quotes the headlines of the last few weeks in which the British or the Americans were always "smashing" the Japs, smashing them in the Philippines, in Malaya and on the sea, a veritable procession of smashes which the ordinary reader might properly interpret as meaning a series of Allied victories. The Japanese may not be beaten but have been smashed under the headlines until there is hardly anything left of them.

Talked to some more of the brain boys at lunch and they were all at sea about the new relations between Canada, Britain and the United States. This country doesn't rate a place on any of the joint committees which are pooling the resources of the Allied nations and the brain boys think that we must now deal with Washington through London. Apart from the constitutional questions involved, it seems an extraordinary route to reach a neighbor next door—all the way to London and back. Much more will be heard of this, though Mr. King has parried all questions so far with neat footwork.

THE PEOPLE

THE CORRESPONDENT of the deepest dyed Tory paper in the country stopped at my desk to state: "The by-elections here this week were just like the American election. Down there nobody wanted Roosevelt but the people. Here everybody wanted Meighen elected, except the voters."

But I had a long talk with a Conservative M.P. and it seems that he and some of his colleagues are determined to bring Mr. Meighen into the House of Commons no matter what happens. What if it does mean beating the party in the next election, my friend said. In the meantime Mr. Meighen can do a lot of good (i.e., harm to the government) if he is in the Commons. While Mr. Meighen has never been able to gain the friendship of the Canadian people, this austere and crusty man has somehow managed to secure the devoted affection of a few men close to him and they still think him the only statesman in the country.

COUNTRY BOY

GRATTAN O'LEARY of the Ottawa Journal writes today a lovely editorial piece of satire at my expense and makes me appear before the local readers like a country boy who has been overwhelmed by the glamour of the great capital. Where I reported a crisis, a tense human drama here last week on the eve of the by-elections, Grattan was unable to see the least excitement. Says he: "So come, Bruce, relax. You mustn't go about our streets in this weather imagining you're Mr. Oppenheim or Orson Welles, and it's not fair to be frightening the natives like this in Victoria and Vancouver. A cold shower, they tell us, is helpful."

As if 10 below zero wasn't enough to chill anyone. But I suppose to an Ottawa editor like Grattan parliamentary crises recur in a long and dismal procession of the years and, after a while, after lunching with statesmen at the Rideau Club every day for half a century, nothing seems funny any more, and nothing very important.

Bob Mayhew gave a lunch for Fred McGregor, who is down here to see his grown-up children. Sat beside Dr. MacLean, who was premier of British Columbia, long, long ago, and still looks as if he were in fine health. Says he would have been dead long before this if he had stayed in politics. A friendly warning to his old colleague, Jack Hart.

SPURT IN RECRUITING

From Toronto Star

Up to the end of last November the voluntary enlistments in Canada for service anywhere exceeded 360,000, made up as follows:

Army More than 240,000
Air Force More than 93,000
Navy More than 27,000

Total More than 360,000

Of these, considerably more than 150,000 are already serving outside Canada. But in addition to the 360,000, Canada also has home defence forces. The following numbers had been enlisted to the above date, for service in Canada itself:

Reserve Army, liable to be called out for home defence. More than 145,000
Men conscripted for the duration for home defence More than 15,000

160,000

Between May and November the voluntary enlistments for service anywhere numbered 59,000 for the army, 35,000 for the air force and 11,000 for the navy, a total of 105,000. But the total enlistments for such service have been greatly increased in the months which have since elapsed. In January alone, for the army alone, enlistments for service anywhere exceeded 11,000, or about double the number required for routine reinforcements and replacements.

The war in the Pacific and the losses at Hongkong seem to have had a stimulating effect.

A wife is a great comfort to her husband during the distressing times a bachelor never has.

More than ever it is our duty to restrict our state expenditures to the lowest levels compatible with the maintenance of state activities essential to efficiency and morale.—Governor Lehman, New York.

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Ten thousand bombers, a mere 10 divisions swarming over London a few hours before the formal declaration of war in 1939, would have given the then undefended and unready British capital such a blasting that Britain might not have survived, and the bombardment might have been the beginning of the end of the last great war of which the Germans were already talking. Hitler might have won his campaign without the loss of a single tank or the decimation of a single armored division. London lay wide open through the criminal folly of the politicians. The men-who-knew in the R.A.F. realized that their best would be a very little if the German air legions played the air-game according to the copy-book—one mass attack after another on several cities simultaneously, continued at regular intervals for a week without stopping!

GERMANY MADE no secret of her belief in this form of mass attack. I learned in Berlin what Col. Lindbergh was probably told and shown on his famous visit to Germany; that the Germans then had and were constructing the biggest air fleet the world had ever seen, and would continue on that building program until they considered that the loss of 1,000 planes (or one complete unit) a day would be no more important to the strategy of the High Command than the loss of the same number of shock troops is today. The time was not far away, I learned, when war planes in tens of thousands would ride the skies day and night in defence of the fatherland. I was shown eager young Siegfrieds in gliders, dapper young men carving stomach-turning curves out of the air in pursuit ships, and serious young mathematicians doing things with bomb-aiming devices. The air-mindedness of the German people was so highly developed that it seemed as if no other nation could ever hope to rival Nazi air power. The new German bombing, said my informant, a youngish and charmingly entertaining person named Milch (now the Air Marshal in Operational Direction slated to succeed Goering), would be so terrific that after the first attack on the target area scarcely a living thing would remain. He was proudly specific.

Certain areas in East Prussia had been used as testing grounds, he said. After the first wave of bombers had passed over there had been nothing left for the second; but his smile was disarming—if actual warfare came the aerial bombardment would be maintained for 24 hours by successive squadrons, so that the ground defences would be rendered incapable of reply. If war ever came, he assured me, Germany could rip the heart out of any attacking country and de-

stroy every airfield in striking distance within 24 hours. Twenty thousand planes would be enough, but there would be 50,000. Milch was right, but Germany never had those 20,000 to play with. When war broke out she probably had more tanks than bombers, more fighter ships than Stukas.

THE GERMAN abstention from all-out air attack is proof that the Luftwaffe was unready. The German military mind has never found destruction distasteful. Only sheer incapability of striking kept the German bombers grounded. The British know today that Goering's air force was unable to execute bombing raids on Britain through lack of machines and trained pilots, an incredible mistake on the part of Hermann Goering, the fighter pilot of the First World War. You must appreciate Goering's character to understand his mistake. The genial hunter of boars with an ingrained "knighthood" complex built Germany a vast complement of pursuit ships and trained pilots to fly them. Goering visualized the ding-dong chivalrous air clashes of the combat squadrons of that last war, and built his air force accordingly. His knights of the air were to do battle with the British as they did in 1917-18. He neglected the prosaic medium and long-range bomber, conceding only to the army generals' demand for dive-bomber pilots. The German High Command, with its eyes on a 1942 war, aimed at a swift decisive blow behind enemy lines, using tens of thousands of bombing planes shuttling over their targets for 24 shattering hours without respite.

SO THE WAR dragged on up to the Battle of France without any major bombing offensive. Chamberlain and the Archbishop of Canterbury combined to stop the R.A.F. from carrying bombs over Germany despite the fact that the R.A.F. had several squadrons of bombers and pilots competent to fly them—as evidenced by the pamphlet raids. In France the squadrons of Caudron and Forman long-range bombers that Pierre Cot had designed to fly over Berlin and land in Moscow in the days when Russia was an ally, could have begun limited operations; but Gamelin found in Chamberlain an able ally for his wait-and-see policy. Thus the French lost their chance. How the Germans must have chuckled at being good psychologists as their aircraft factories thundered day and night pouring out bombers!

Even when the Battle of France was finished the Luftwaffe still had insufficient machines and pilots to begin total air war on Britain.

We do not ask more survival, but rather that the church may be able to supply leadership for the building of a better world which must come.—Presiding Bishop Henry St. George Tucker of Virginia.

Absolutely not. We're not in the counterfeiting business. We don't have to win wars by stooping to this immoral, dishonest stupidity.—Treasury Secretary Morgenthau, being asked whether the U.S. will print phony money for any territory it conquers.

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By d'Alessio



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A.Y.P.A. Activities

CATHEDRAL A.Y.P.A.

The Cathedral Junior A.Y.P.A. met Friday evening in the Memorial Hall with the president, Dorothy Harding, in the chair. During the business the treasurer, Keith Taylor, gave his report and the president reminded the members about the pre-Lenten rally. After the business meeting a Valentine social was held, with games and dancing under Ron Thorpe.

W.A.A.F.S. AS POLICE

LONDON (CP)—Policewomen, W.A.A.F.S., fully trained at the R.A.F. Police College in the art of "crime and crime detection," begin their duties in London and in 10 other areas soon.

The monthly tea of the W.A. of the 11th Fortress Signal Company will be held Wednesday at the home of Mrs. A. W. Y. Des Brissay, 930 Pemberton Road, at 2. Everyone interested will be welcome.

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Women's Workroom Reviews 10th Year Of Usefulness

One of the least spectacular of Victoria's philanthropic institutions, the Women's Workroom, is nevertheless one of the most valuable, as attested to in the fine reports presented at the 10th annual meeting yesterday. Mrs. Alan Morkill, the president, presided at the gathering held at the Y.W.C.A.

GENEROUS HELP

With 31 women employed in the room at the present time, work accomplished during the year included 487 orders filled, each representing from one to 50 articles. Mrs. C. Swayne, convener, reported. These included an order for 66 pairs of boys' trousers for Mrs. E. W. Hamber, who donated them to the Red Cross.

The sum of \$1,358.15 had been deposited in the bank during the year. Mrs. Swayne announced. Large donations were recorded from the R.C.A.F. and the Red Cross. Donations of clothing had increased and the committee was grateful for the 227 gifts of clothing received. Mrs. Swayne praised the faithful work of Mrs. Chapin and Mrs. Dodson at the workroom, and thanked Clark's Pharmacy, Economy Laundry, David Spencer Ltd., Hudson's Bay Company and Miss Livingston. Mrs. Todd, Miss Finch Page and Mrs. Jones were thanked for their service as shoppers.

Special gifts to the workers during the year included \$2 to each worker from Mrs. E. W. Hamber, an equal sum from Mrs. Todd, \$1 to each from Senator and Mrs. G. H. Barnard. Easter cakes to each woman from Mrs. Hamber, Christmas cakes from Mrs. Morkill and Miss Ogilvie, and chocolates from Mrs. Todd, Mrs. Wilcox, Miss Ogilvie and Mrs. Ian Simpson.

WORKERS GRATEFUL

Mrs. Morkill, in her presidential address, touched upon the appreciation shown by the women employed. A legacy of \$50 was left to the workroom by a woman who had been assisted while temporarily destitute. A group of the workers had raised money to purchase wool for baby clothes, which they sent to England through the Red Cross. Mrs. Morkill thanked the many donors of cash, fruit, vegetables, etc., and also Mr. R. H. B. Ker for the use of the workroom rent free.

Miss E. M. Macrae, convener of the Workroom Shop, reported \$1,941.87 received and a profit of \$1,099.12, a gain of \$63.37 over last year, was recorded. She expressed her thanks to Mrs. Gardner for her work as shop manager, and to Miss French of Gillespie, Hart and Co. for assisting with the financial management of the store.

All officers and committee members were re-elected as follows: Mrs. Alan Morkill, president; Mrs. A. F. D. MacGachen, vice-president; Miss Lola B. Maxwell, honorary secretary; Mrs. R. Taylor, honorary treasurer; Mrs. C. Swayne, Miss FitzGibbon, Mrs. Thorpe Double, Mrs. L. A. Genge, Miss E. M. Macrae, Miss L. Ogilvie, Mrs. A. Gillespie and Mrs. A. H. Pease.

Royal Oak W.I.

Royal Oak Women's Institute met Thursday in the Community Hall with the president, Miss K. Oldfield in the chair.

Financial statement was presented by Mrs. Corker. An old-time dance will be held March 7. A donation of \$5 to purchase a kettle, sugar and cocoa was given to Royal Oak School to provide hot drinks for pupils at lunch-time. Donations of \$2 each will be sent to Salvation Army in Vancouver and T.B. Veterans.

A daffodil tea is planned for March. Mrs. A. D. Corker and Mrs. A. Rankin were elected delegates to the Local Council annual meeting Feb. 18 and 19. A work bee will be held at the home of Mrs. F. Andrews, Glassford Avenue.

Royal Oak Women's Institute will send a letter to the Victoria beaches and parks committee regarding the clearing of both Elk and Beaver Lake beaches. Mrs. J. Reid reported sums realized from sale of used stamps in England. A. D. Corker spoke on the activities of A.R.P. and asked that the hall may be used as a centre.



This utilitarian costume, designed and modeled by Valentina, is the "bashlyk." You slip it on over anything—slacks, a dress, even pyjamas—and make for shelter fully equipped. Besides two huge outside pockets, there's a secret pocket for valuables beneath the coat flap. Valentina got the idea from the "bashlyk" greatcoats and warm helmets of Russian soldiers.

Social and Personal

Mrs. W. C. Woodward was the guest of honor when Mrs. Alexander, wife of Maj.-Gen. R. O. Alexander, G.O.C.-in-Chief, Pacific Command, entertained at a delightfully appointed luncheon at the Union Club today. Covers were laid at a table centred with a bowl of spring flowers.

Mrs. John Hoie and Mrs. Claude Horning of Meota, Sask., are visiting in the city, guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. White, 1008 Fort Street.

Mrs. C. W. Bradshaw has returned to Victoria after spending the last two months in California, during which she visited her daughter, Mrs. Kathryn Barr at Palo Alto. She has resumed residence at the Strathcona Hotel.

In honor of Miss Ruth Lees, a March bride-elect, Miss Nellie Savin and Miss Edith Laidman entertained at the home of the latter at a miscellaneous shower. Among those present were Mesdames Ellen Savin, A. Thompson, L. S. Houghton, Jack White and G. Songhurst, and Misses Elsie MacLachlin, Kay and Muriel Burns.

Capt. and Mrs. Ernest Alcock, Burnside Road, were hosts Saturday at a St. Valentine's party for children. Mrs. Ian Alcock assisted in the entertainment and games for the guests, who included Col. and Mrs. G. B. Scott, Maureen, Grace and Sheila Scott, Faye Wright, Louise and Daisy Chandler, Vera Raper, Hilding Freya and Edith Rodstrom, Daniel, Robin and Rosemary Carter-Page and Martin Nisbet.

Miss Jean Munro, whose marriage will take place at the end of the month, was the recipient of a sterling silver deposit vase by a C.G.I.T. Leaders' Council of Greater Victoria. The gift, accompanied by a nosegay of violets and with the best wishes of the group, was presented to her fellow-member by Mrs. T. Hamber. The meeting was held recently at the home of Mrs. E. R. Bewell, Pinewood Avenue, with Miss Kay Smith, provincial secretary from Vancouver, as special guest.

Miss Vera Parfitt entertained at a St. Valentine's tea on Saturday afternoon at the home of her mother, Mrs. M. Parfitt, Vining Street. Red poinsettias decorated the rooms, and the tea table was covered with a white cloth and centred with a doll dressed in red and white paper hearts from which red and white streamers reached to the four corners. Miss Stella Davey poured tea and Miss Doreen Crowther assisted the hostess in serving. The invited guests were: Mesdames E. Dyer and D. Walker and the Misses Stella Davey, Doreen Crowther, Evelyn Watson, Janet Lambie, Joan Glendinning, Dorothy Payne, Emily Thompson, Peggy Bishop, Jean Broughton and Irene Pearce.

B.C. Councilwomen Want All Japs Removed Now

The Provincial Council of Women, which represents practically all the women's organizations of British Columbia, lifted its voice in the chorus of protest over the tardiness in handling of the Japanese problem on this coast.

The following telegram was sent Friday evening to Prime Minister Mackenzie King and Hon. J. L. Ralston, Minister of Defence: "Provincial Council of Women, representing thousands of women, most strongly urges the federal government to take immediate steps to put into action plans for the removal of all Japanese from the British Columbia coastal area."

At the same time a telegram was sent to Mr. R. W. Mayhew, M.P., congratulating him on his firm stand in this connection.



PRIOR-DAVIS

The marriage of Betty Elizabeth Rose, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Davis, 524 John Street, to Wallace Edward Prior, only son of Mrs. J. Prior, Toronto, and the late Mr. J. Prior, was quietly solemnized at the home of the officiating minister, Rev. F. W. McKinnon, 3449 Saanich Road, on Jan. 31.

WHITEHEAD-ROGERS

Centennial United Church was the scene of a quiet wedding Saturday at 8 when the Rev. John Turner officiated at the marriage of Louise Katherine, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Rogers, 1290 Vista Heights, and Pte. Thomas G. J. Whitehead, Dufferin and Haldimand Rifles, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wyatt Whitehead, Vanessa, Ont. Given in marriage by her father the bride wore a light blue wool dress, fashioned with full skirt and three-quarter sleeves. Her hat was of the same material, and a corsage of gardenias and pink heather completed her costume. She was attended by Miss Lillian Tait in a shell pink wool dress in princess style, with matching hat, and a corsage of bouquet violets and pink rosebuds. Pte. Harry Tune, D.H.R.C., was best man. Following the ceremony a reception took place at the home of the bride's parents, where a three-tiered wedding cake centred the refreshment table. Mrs. Rogers chose a black afternoon dress, to which was pinned a corsage of pink rosebuds. She was assisted in receiving by Mrs. Harry Tait. Upon their return from their wedding trip, Mr. and Mrs. Whitehead will reside in Victoria.

In compliment to Miss Peggy Provan whose marriage to Mr. Lorne W. Gwilt takes place this week, Mrs. T. R. Copley entertained at a miscellaneous shower Monday evening at the home of her mother, Mrs. T. Ralph, 930 Inverness Street. Corsage bouquets of pink carnations were presented to the guest of honor and to her mother, Mrs. J. Provan. From a box prettily decorated with pink and white crepe paper Miss Provan received the many attractive gifts. Following an evening spent in games a buffet supper was served from a table centred by a bowl of pink tulips. Other guests were Mrs. R. Ralph, Mrs. C. Rick and Miss Ann Provan, Miss Irene Sterling, Miss May Bent, Miss Gladys Provan and Miss Lily Sparks.

Mrs. Chas. Hudson and Mrs. Frank Peterson presided at the flower-centred tea-table at the Empress Hotel yesterday afternoon when representatives of the various women's organizations of the city, together with Col. the Rev. Sidney Lambert, the speaker, and Mrs. Lambert, were special guests of the Women's Canadian Club executive following the meeting. Those present included Mrs. A. E. Hopkins, president of the Local Council of Women; Mrs. Kyrie Symons, regent of Municipal Chapter, I.O. D.E.; Mrs. J. C. Roberts of the Women's Institutes; Mrs. B. M. Clarke, Sororist Club; Mrs. Thomas Miller, Jubilee Hospital Auxiliary; Mrs. Llewellyn Jones, St. Joseph's Hospital Auxiliary; Mrs. F. E. Winslow, for the Victory Loan Campaign; Mrs. S. J. Willis, Mrs. V. McDonald, Mrs. L. Grant, Mrs. F. W. Francis, Mrs. P. B. Scurrah, Mrs. Peter McNaughton, Mrs. P. Ellis, Mrs. Mackenzie-Grieve, Dr. Olga Jardine, Miss Brenda Smith, Mrs. T. H. Johns, Mrs. F. G. Aldous, Mrs. K. C. Drury, Mrs. H. L. Campbell, Mrs. Bruce Hutchison, Mrs. H. L. Smith, Mrs. Howard Taylor, Mrs. Walter Luney, Mrs. V. H. Wilson and Mrs. Alan Campbell.

In honor of Miss Eunice Marchant, a kitchen shower was held by Mrs. T. J. W. Hick and Mrs. V. C. Jones at the home of the former, 1135 McKenzie Street. On her arrival, Miss Marchant was presented with a corsage of daffodils and forget-me-nots. Her many gifts were concealed in a prettily-decorated wishing well. Games were played during the evening, prizewinners including Mrs. Jones Sr. and Miss Marchant; consolation, Mrs. Pollard and Mrs. McBey. A sit-down supper was served, the table being decorated with a handsome lace tablecloth and centrepiece of daffodils and pussy willows, with silver candleholders. Others present were Mrs. J. Jones, Mrs. Lerick, Mrs. A. M. Chandler, Mrs. A. Sneath, Mrs. L. A. Marchant, Mrs. G. Marchant and the Misses Irene Austin, Bernice Ler-

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Keating Baby Show

Gail Patricia Byers, Jocelyn A. Whitley, Roderick Caddell and W. Ronald Neilson were the winners at the baby show at Keating School, Friday. Nurse R. Wilkinson, Mrs. E. Bryce and Mrs. John Bull, judges of the 15 entries, were presented with corsages of snowdrops and violets by Little Barbara Whitley.

Colored pussy willows, daffodils and Valentine decorations were used in the reception rooms and tea was served by the pupils of the school under the supervision of Miss Joyce Maddock and Miss Wilma Sones. During the afternoon guests heard a short program by pupils of both divisions.

Solarium W.A. will meet Thursday at 2.30 in the Solarium office, Pemberton Building.

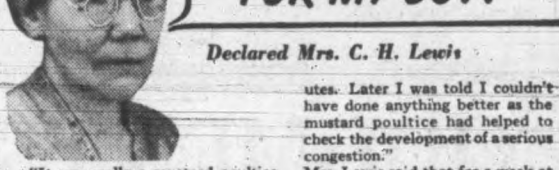
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EVACUEES STAY PUT

LONDON (CP)—Returning from a tour of country districts housing evacuees, C. G. Ammon, M.P., said there was not such a disposition to return to London when they were told they were helping to win the war by staying away.

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Social and Personal

Mrs. F. W. McLaine of North Vancouver came over to Victoria this afternoon on a visit to Mrs. C. J. Bunbury, Fogel Bay Road.

In compliment to Miss Margaret Tonman, whose marriage takes place shortly, her associates at the Western Air Command arranged a no-host tea at Spencer's dining-room Saturday. A corsage of gardenias accompanied the cocktail set that was presented to Miss Tonman during the afternoon. Those present were Mrs. J. Collins, Miss J. Perri, Miss A. McDonald, Miss B. Marr, Miss E. Allman, Miss M. Petherbridge, Miss A. Stone, Miss G. Wrigley, Miss M. McConnell, Miss I. Birchall, Miss Kay Clarke and Miss I. McCoy.

Ruth Draper Has Box Office Appeal

North America's solo actress, Ruth Draper, whose evenings in the theatre have delighted two generations of playgoers, has a repertoire to delight the jeweled dowager and the pert stenographer, the silk-hatted gentry as well as the hard-working truck driver.

Each patron has been known to return time and again upon Miss Draper's reappearance. In this way, she has built a box office appeal to the delight of audience and theatre manager.

The story is told of Miss Draper who spent 20 annual seasons playing anywhere from four to 12 weeks at the Haymarket Theatre in London and throughout the English provinces. Up to the box office at her last engagement in New York rolled a ship's mate on shore leave. Salt dripping from his cockney accent and a pleasant grin on his weathered face, he announced "only 'ave one evening ashore, so get your steam up, lass. I don't want to miss a minute of it." The box office girl, curiosity overcoming her, asked: "With only one evening off, why do you choose Miss Draper?" At which the tar's face beamed while his voice snapped with impatience. "Because, me liddy, she's me favorite actress."

Miss Draper will appear at the Royal Victoria Theatre on Thursday at 8.30.

Lady Jane and Duchess Bury the Hatchet

NASSAU, Bahamas—Lady Jane Williams Taylor, wife of Sir Frederick Taylor, retired head of the Bank of Montreal, has buried the hatchet with the Duchess of Windsor and they are now firm friends. The duchess confronted Lady Jane at a party and remarked: "I hear you have been saying perfectly awful things about me," to which Lady Jane replied: "Perfectly awful, but I find I was wrong." "I like your frankness," said the duchess. "I like your honesty," said Lady Jane, and they shook hands on it.

Mrs. F. R. Moore, president, presided at the meeting of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Women's Missionary Auxiliary Monday afternoon. Miss I. Scott, deaconess, had charge of the Scripture lesson. Miss Gertrude Scott, a member of St. Andrew's Evening Auxiliary, presented two radio addresses given by Dr. Wm. Paton. The president called special attention to the World Day of Prayer, Feb. 20. Annual meetings of the W.M.S. Presbyterian will be held Feb. 25 and 26. A tea for the expense fund of the auxiliary will be held at the home of Mrs. W. L. Clay, 821 Linden Avenue, March 4. The president closed the meeting with the benediction.

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By July 1, the Kinsmen Clubs of Canada hope to have shipped 1,500,000 quarts of milk to the children of Britain. Hal A. Rogers, chairman of the National War Services Committee of the Kinsmen Clubs of the Dominion, has announced. The nation-wide milk-for-Britain appeal has caught the imagination of not only the 87 Kinsmen Clubs across Canada, but many other organizations that have co-operated in sending milk to Britain, Mr. Rogers said. Already 500,000

quarts of milk have been transported overseas by Kinsmen. Bingo games, auctions, contests, dances, peanut days and other ingenious money-raising stunts have been devised by the 3,000 Kinsmen who have adopted the Milk-for-Britain Fund as their primary war effort. From St. John's, Newfoundland, where \$2,006 was raised in a Peanut Day drive to Victoria, where \$1,000 was raised through the contesting of a motor car, Kinsmen Clubs are devoting time and effort to money-raising plans. Kinette groups, made up of wives of Kinsmen, are also assisting.

Yarrows' Fire

City Helps Self In Dousing Fire

Reeve Alex Lockley of Esquimalt stated Monday night that large defence and industrial plants in Esquimalt should have adequate fire-fighting equipment of their own. He spoke at the council meeting and further elaborated by saying that the Esquimalt Fire Department was equipped to fight residential fires only and that no municipality the size of Esquimalt could be expected to have equipment to fight possible large industrial conflagrations.

Before he spoke, a letter from the City Council had been read to the meeting, telling Esquimalt of the assistance rendered by the Victoria Fire Department in fighting the Yarrows fire last month. The correspondence said the city had asked the B.C. Underwriters' Association for \$5,000 for services rendered and had received no satisfaction. The letter asked the attitude of Esquimalt on the city receiving consideration for its services.

Councillor F. G. Eaton said arrangements should be made for some kind of recompense for the city.

Reeve Lockley mentioned that a plant in the city had spent \$50,000 on an elaborate fire-fighting system and suggested plants in Esquimalt also equip themselves adequately. He said, al-

though the Victoria Fire Department could not be expected to leave the city unprotected to fight a fire in Esquimalt, it had only acted on agreement in coming to help put out the Yarrows blaze. He added that it was also to the city's advantage. If the city had not responded to the call from the blazing plant and it had burned to the ground, 600 or 700 workers living in Victoria would have been thrown out of work and been a burden on the city.

Had Two Degrees Now Two Stripes

CALGARY (CP)—An American university professor who normally has two degrees after his name, but who "fled from stuffy academic life" to do the uniform of the Canadian Active Army, is stationed at Currie Barracks here. Now he has two stripes instead of two degrees.

He is Cpl. Hans F. Hansen of Carleton, Ore., formerly of the University of Minnesota. He won his stripes last week after seven months in the army.

A casual, easy-going man of 29, Cpl. Hansen was at the university for eight years. Last summer he went to Vancouver on a mixed holiday and business trip, and wound up by joining the army in the reinforcements for the Seaford Highlanders. He hoped to get overseas and even had his embarkation leave.

Somehow he landed at Currie. Instead of somewhere in England and he has been there since.

New Utility Clothes Reasonable Price In Britain

LONDON (CP)—Despite hazards surrounding the movement of raw wool from overseas sources of supply the British woolen trade's major problem today is not a shortage of material but a shortage of labor.

In the face of increasingly difficult transport conditions United Kingdom manufacturers have been receiving a steady flow of the raw product and trade authorities say the situation should be "comfortable" for a long time at the present rate of consumption.

The tightness of the labor situation has made mill managers hesitant about delivery commitments, and as a rule they will not accept further contracts for the civilian trade. The manufacturers are pledged to deliver all they can produce for government contracts and for "utility" clothing, a wartime creation.

Expert appraisal of these garments brought a verdict from the fashion critics that "only an expert could distinguish them from regular lines."

Apparel stores are just beginning to display the "utility" items in variety and range. Women shoppers, for example, may buy white and apricot-colored wool-and-rayon lace panties and vests with ribbed waists for the equivalent of 75 and 89 cents respectively. More serviceable diaphanous knickers in gaily-colored locknut cost 60 cents and heavier combinations 80 cents.

Only linings would enable the casual eye to distinguish between two grey boucle coats in one shop window—one priced at \$50.40, the other at \$14.45, with style identical in everything but details.

Another store displayed a cocoa-brown tailored coat with large military pockets and flared skirt in Angora tweed at \$12.70 side by side with a navy reefer coat in soft nap cloth at \$14.

Suits of all colors in classical country styles are being snapped up as quickly as delivered with the maximum price around \$20.

LISLE STOCKINGS

"Utility" stockings help to solve the vexatious wartime problem for women who continue to lament the disappearance of full-fashioned pure silk hosiery.

Ranging in colors from suntan shades through a half dozen neutral beiges to deeper tones, these stockings are unfashioned, with smooth dull finish and mock seam. They are priced at 50 cents a pair.

Hard-wearing lisle stockings which are coarse and unattractive but suited to the rough treatment they get in war work sell for 45 cents a pair.

New World Needs

LONDON (CP)—A combination of the knowledge and experience of the "old kingdom" with the skill and vast resources of the Empire's new countries will be necessary to meet postwar problems, Viscount Bennett said in an address at the Devonshire Club.

"You cannot expect to achieve results if one partner undertakes control of the whole enterprise," he suggested. A world economy without tariff barriers or a United States of Empire are the "two alternatives between which we must choose," he added.

Clubwomen's News

Saskatchewan W.A. of Victoria will hold a card social tonight at 8 at 301 Union Bldg., View Street. Good prizes will be given and refreshments served.

The Women's Union of the First Baptist Church will be held Thursday at 2.30. Col. F. G. Hood will be the speaker, his subject being "The Necessity of Preparedness." A good attendance is requested.

Executive of Camosun Chapter, I.O.D.E., will meet Wednesday at 2.30 at the home of Mrs. S. R. Richardson, 2770 Thorpe Place. The knitting meeting of the chapter will be held Thursday at 2.30 at the home of Mrs. Geo. Miles, 1340 Stanley Avenue.

The lady members of the Victoria Amateur Swimming Club have arranged for a court whist party to be held at the home of Mrs. W. McCague, 2808 Graham Street, Thursday evening at 8. Members and friends wishing to reserve tables, please phone E 2786.

The Loyal Group W.A. of

Metropolitan Church met Friday at the home of Mrs. A. Read, with Mrs. J. Scott as assistant hostess. The president, Mrs. R. Hetherington, was in the chair. The visiting committee reported nine visits made to the Aged Women's Home. Mrs. Parfitt reported socks and nine helmets had been handed in to the Red Cross. Mrs. Brown announced a games evening would be held in the schoolroom of Metropolitan Church, March 6. Mrs. J. Scott led the devotional period. Mrs. Harold Campbell, president of the Metropolitan Red Cross, spoke on the work needed for the Red Cross. March meeting will be at the home of Mrs. W. H. Whitely, 1623 Cook Street.

B.C. Channel Islanders Women's Auxiliary held a work meeting on Wednesday. Thanks were extended to all those who sent in donations of clothing, which were gratefully received. It was reported 16 pairs of socks, 10 sweaters, four skirts, three blouses, 11 bonnets, four aprons, four pairs gloves, two scarfs, two pairs pyjamas, two dressing gowns and two pairs boys' pants

were made during the past month and forwarded with 100 pounds of clothing to headquarters in Vancouver, for shipment to refugees in England. Patchwork quilts are progressing satisfactorily. Arrangements are being made to hold a court whist drive and social in the near future. Next business meeting will be held Feb. 25.

WASHINGTON (AP)—The entire crew of 400 of the German liner Columbus is ill of trichinosis at Fort Stanton, N.M., Justice Department officials report. One of the men died last week but his death was attributed to heart disease rather than the malady, which is caused by infected pork.

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Sports Mirror

By PETE SALLAWAY

MARY ROSE THACKER of Winnipeg may be the North American and Canadian women's figure skating champion, but to us she's just a smiling 19-year-old unspoiled girl, who loves to skate. Chatting to Mary Rose, during her flying visit to the city over the week-end, we were immediately struck by her natural poise and the complete absence of any prima donna attitude that marks so many champions.

This little girl, who takes a back seat to nobody when it comes to skating, is blessed with the kind of a personality which endears her to any audience. When she smiles her entire face lights up and you know her laughter is real and not an act.

Although she holds the highest honors possible on this continent Miss Thacker has no idea of turning pro. "As a matter of fact I have never given the professional question a bit of thought," she said. "What about going to Hollywood?" we asked. "Sonja Henie has that situation well looked after and as long as she is making pictures there is not much chance of anybody else crashing the movie industry," Miss Thacker replied.

Next few weeks will mean a lot of activity for the Winnipeg girl. Following her appearance at the Vancouver carnival Friday night, she will make appearances at Lake Placid and several of the large prairie cities. Miss Thacker is looking forward to skating at Lake Placid as it will be her first appearance at the noted United States winter resort. Miss Thacker has been skating since she passed her third birthday and has met virtually all the famous stars of the blades. She has

skated in England, New York, Philadelphia, in addition to numerous carnivals in smaller locations.

To hand today is an edition of the hockey magazine and program published by Madison Square Garden Corporation, home of the New York Rangers. Occupying a prominent place in the publication is a picture of Murray (Muzz) Patrick sighting a machine gun. Muzz, as you know, is now in the United States army, led his battalion with a score of 98 out of a possible 100.

Any group of girls who think they can play hockey have a chance to find out just how good they are. Today we received a challenge to any women's ice squad issued by Mrs. Laurel Harney on behalf of the wives and sweethearts of members of the Victoria Bapcos. As a matter of fact Mrs. Harney is anxious to get a game against a team of wives of the players of one of the other clubs in the Coast League. "However, we are willing to take on all comers and only hope we can get a game," Mrs. Harney states.

Among her teammates Mrs. Harney will have Mrs. Al Euerby, Mrs. Bus Algar, Mrs. Jack Kilpatrick, Mrs. Hugh Sutherland, Mrs. Les Bird and Mrs. Wally McIntyre. Might be a good idea to stage a women's game between periods of a hockey game. It would be novel and interesting.

Major Hockey

Rangers on Spot

Flickering fortunes of New York Rangers during the last week have caused a sharp decline in the club's chances to crack the all-time National Hockey League record for team scoring.

The league leaders' slump also has forced a falling market on speculation that the Rangers' top line of Phil Watson, Lynn Patrick and Bryan Hextall would surpass the 72-goal season which ranks as best in the history of Rangers old-time great forward string, the Cooks and Boucher.

Rangers have scored 146 goals in 38 games. To smash the 179-goal record set in the 1929-30 season by Boston Bruins the Rangers would have to score at least 54 goals in their remaining 10 games. Rangers have scored only six goals in their last three games—all defeats.

The Watson-Hextall-Patrick line must score 16 goals to top the Cooks-Boucher mark. So far it has 57 goals.

All is not well with the Rangers. They looked bad in losing 5 to 3 last Saturday to Montreal Canadiens, and they meet the Canucks again tonight—this time in New York.

SCORING FIGURES

Hextall started his ninth week at the top of the league's individual scoring race today, having collected four points during the past week to raise his total to 45 scoring points, 21 goals and 24 assists.

League statistics issued today showed Hextall's line-mates, Watson and Patrick, were in second and third place respectively. Watson with 43 points and Patrick 41.

Chicago's Bill Thoms moved ahead of Toronto's Gordie Drillon by getting four assists to make his total 38 points while Drillon scored two goals to make his point total 36.

Brooklyn's Pat Egan still remained unchanged at the top in the penalty bracket, having added two minutes to his 76 minutes' total during the week.

Individual scoring leaders follow:

	G	A	P	Pen.
Hextall, Rangers	21	24	45	26
Watson, Rangers	13	30	43	37
Patrick, Rangers	12	29	41	14
Thoms, Chicago	12	25	38	4
Drillon, Toronto	11	25	36	4
Grosche, Detroit	10	18	28	9
Schmidt, Boston	10	17	27	13
Bauer, Boston	10	17	27	13
Abel, Detroit	10	17	27	13
Anderson, Americans	10	17	27	13
Appel, Toronto	10	17	27	13
Hamill, Boston-Chicago	10	17	27	13
G. Smith, Rangers	10	17	27	13

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So Near and Yet So Far



Earl Mitchell, Indiana sophomore, falls over prone form of 33-year-old Gene Venzke less than body length from tape in 1,000-yard run of Milrose Games at Madison Square Garden. Venzke's head and shoulders are across line, but entire body has to be over, so Lou Collado of New York's Ohrbach A.A. is credited with victory in 2:14.3.

Navy Pucksters Blank Air Force

A one-sided scoring rally was witnessed Monday night when the puck-chasers of the Royal Canadian Navy swamped the R.C.A.F. 6 to 0. It was the opening game of the Services Hockey League round-robin series.

From the start of the fixture it was the Navy who continued the pressing, applying their teamwork to good advantage. They seemed to tantalize the airmen with seemingly good openings, and when the opposers stepped into the trap, the navy lads would step in and make the kill. Teamwork was the keyword of their success, while individual playing effort was the factor against the airmen.

Eleven minutes after the start of the game, the Navy scored their first through Taylor. Following out a definite playing design, the sailors used their strategy in opening spaces for long shots. Many of these were blocked by Alex Clow, Air Force goalie. This net custodian highlighted the Air Force team with his super savings and lightning quick stops.

TURN ON HEAT

Navy continued their scoring streak early in the second stanza. It was in that period that the heat was turned on full blast. Continuously snaggling, long passes thrown by members of the Air Force club, they managed to batter in four scores. Two of these were but a minute apart. The Air Force defence just collapsed in front of the terrific barrage put up by the boys in blue.

Quite content with the board as it was, the Navy team took it a little easier in the final period. They spent a good part of the time preventing a goal by the other team. Twelve and three-quarter minutes after the start, the winners again tucked in another.

PLAY TO TIE

In an exhibition match between Victoria Rifles from Nanaimo and the Army, the result was a 3 to 3 draw.

Both teams kept up with one another in the scoring pace. The score at the conclusion of the first period was 1 to 1. Wright, husky man of the rifleman, made the second score for his club from a minor penalty shot early in the second period.

Long shots were frequent and both goalies had an equal amount of work.

Next week the Navy lads will tackle the Army in one game of two that are scheduled. The Royal Canadian Air Force will probably be in the second tussle of the evening.

Summaries follow:

Navy vs. R.C.A.F.

First period — 1, Navy, Taylor (Hill), 11:53. — Penalties: Wade (2), Millen, Jaffray. Second period — 2, Navy, Millen (Murphy), 5:34; 3, Navy, F. Ritchie (Murphy, Wade), 16:23; 4, Navy, Gibb (F. Ritchie, Hill), 16:43; 5, Navy, Hill (Taylor), 17:43. Penalty: F. Ritchie. Third period — 6, Navy, Millen (Gibb, Taylor), 12:45.

Army vs. Victoria Rifles

First period — 1, Victoria Rifles, Taylor (McPhee), 4:34; 2, Army, Younger-Lewis (Wilson), 8:19. Second period — 3, Victoria Rifles, Wright, 10:51; 4, Army, Munro (Wilson), 14:55. Penalty: Smith. Third period — 5, Army, Younger-Lewis (Wilson), 14:55. Penalty: Smith.

Coast Hockey Scoring

Kilpatrick Champion

Table Tennis Leaders Win

Jokers and McDowell's stayed one, two in the senior division of the Victoria Table Tennis Association following Monday night's games at the Crystal Garden. Jokers sandbagged Chinese Students 23 to 13 to remain on top with 12 points, and the plumbers knocked over Sylvester's U-Drive, 22 to 14. In other games R.A.F. measured Hill's U-Drive, 26 to 16, and MacDonald Electric lost again, this time to Liberty Cafe, 24 to 12.

Results follow: R.A.F. — Singles: Wildmore 6, Abbott 5, Bartlam 2, Wilker 6; doubles: Walker and Abbott 1, Wildmore and Bartlam 0. Hill's U-Drive — Singles: A. Elworthy 2, Prior 3, D. Elworthy 1, G. Elworthy 0; doubles: A. Elworthy and G. Elworthy 1, D. Elworthy and Prior 2.

Jokers — Singles: Dawson 7, Ricketts 6, Hawkes 3, Peebles 1; doubles: Dawson and Ricketts 1, Hawkes and Peebles 1.

Chinese Students — Singles: Lou Poy 4, G. Lowe 2, Sam 4, Leung 1; doubles: Lou Poy and G. Lowe 2, Sam and Leung 0.

Sylvester's U-Drive — Singles: Payne 0, Morris 1, Seed 4, Renfrew 8; doubles: Payne and Morris 0, Seed and Renfrew 1.

McDowell's Plumbing — Singles: G. Payne 4, R. Payne 4, MacKay 5, Cotton 6; doubles: R. Payne and Cotton 2, MacKay and G. Payne 1.

MacDonald's Electric — Singles: Brown-Cave 6, Clarke 1, Elston 2, Taylor 2; doubles: Brown-Cave and Elston 0, Clarke and Taylor 1.

Liberty Cafe — Singles: Chatell 7, Jarvis 5, Robinson 7, McGreggor 2; doubles: Jarvis and McGreggor 2, Chatell and Robinson 2.

Racing Results

HALLEAH PARK—Horse racing results here Monday follow:

First race—Three furlongs: Mr. Infinity (Haskell) — 19.10 14.90 13.20 Long range (L.A.) — 3.50 3.50 3.50 Leo A. Brandy (Haskell) — 4.10

Time, 1:13 1-5. Also ran: Zaccaria, Carbury, Kater, Bold Brook, Wondford Lad, My Maille, Four Leaf, Tower Lass, Direction, Vee, Bottle Imp.

Second race—Six furlongs: Unsubstantiated (Garza) — 16.20 13.40 12.60 Scorpio (Robertson) — 3.80 4.00 West Ho (McIntyre) — 4.50

Time, 1:14 2-5. Also ran: Mystique, Little Count, Ebony, Avalanche, Trial J., Miss Crisp, Betty King, Dimple, Intruding.

Third race—Five furlongs: Phatton (McIntyre) — 18.60 13.20 12.90 Son of War (James) — 3.70 3.10 Strolling Star (Robertson) — 3.40

Time, 1:13 1-5. Also ran: Mid Day Run, Aunt Millie, Princess Diane, Southport, Miss Gilmour, By Gones, Torian, Sister Don.

Fourth race—Six furlongs: Cavalcade (Garza) — 15.20 12.40 11.20 Note Day — 6.00 4.10 Marksmen (McIntyre) — 6.20 7.10

Time, 1:19 1-4. Also ran: Hialeah, Northport, The Midge, Eltonson.

Fifth race—Mile and an eighth: First Lord (McIntyre) — 22.60 19.40 17.20 First Lord (McIntyre) — 22.60 19.40 17.20

Time, 1:50 1-5. Also ran: Get Off, Belvoir, Century Kid.

Sixth race—Mile and an eighth: Dear Yankee (James) — 18.20 15.50 14.50 Dear Yankee (James) — 18.20 15.50 14.50

Victoria Bapcos Capture Coast Hockey Championship

Congrats Boys

Victors Over Nanaimo In Own Backyard

By PETE SALLAWAY

NANAIMO — Bapcos earned Victoria its first important hockey championship since 1925 when they breezed into this town of rabid fans Monday night and blasted the Nanaimo Clippers right in their own back yard 4 to 3 to capture the Pacific Coast Hockey League crown.

Bapcos wound up their 28-game schedule with a two-point margin over Clippers and Vancouver Norvans, tied for second place. Clippers and Norvans now play a two-game total-goal series Friday and Saturday to decide the second and third place finishers in the circuit. The winner will open a best-of-three semifinal round on home ice Feb. 23, with the victor to battle Bapcos in a best-of-five playoff for the right to represent the coast in the provincial playoffs.

With the benefit of the bye, Bapcos will get about 10 days rest before going into action in the deciding series.

The Victoria club won one of the finest games played on Nanaimo ice this season. After a somewhat slow first period, owing to the clubs feeling each other out, they turned on the pressure in second and third sessions with a sizzling brand of hockey.

There was a large representation of Victoria fans who literally tore this up-land town apart following the victory.

RECEIVE TROPHY

At the conclusion of the game Bapcos were presented with the handsome Nanaimo Free Press trophy by Bobby Steedman, star centre ice player of last year's Nanaimo club, and now a member of the Royal Canadian Air Force. Representing the Nanaimo newspaper, George Summerfield extended congratulations to the Bapcos and goalie Laurel Harney accepted the trophy on behalf of the Victoria club.

Bapcos won because every member of the club "dug in." The boys took the ice with a do or die attitude and, after grabbing a two-goal lead in the second period, kept Clippers down. It would be unfair to name an individual star of the Bapcos. Every player from goalie Harney up played like a champion. Harney, himself, had a grand night and that seemed to inspire the remainder of the boys.

However, it was quite easy to pick out the happiest member of the Bapcos over the victory. That was big defenceman Walter McIntyre, who scored the winning goal. It was his second counter of the season and was really the payoff goal of the year.

Special credit must also be paid Jack Kilpatrick, playing coach of the Victoria team, who played a great game despite a broken rib and sprained wrist. Kilpatrick was advised not to take the ice but elected to take a chance and showed his value by giving assists on two of the goals.

After Kilpatrick had hit the post and Harney did the splits to block a high shot from Red Carr, Bapcos went into the lead at the 15:47 mark of the first period. Bus Algar beating goalie Keith Langill after a beautiful three-way passing play with Kilpatrick and George Dunn. Near the close of the period, Harney came right out of his net to block Don Stanley after the big forward was clean through.

TIES SCORE

This same Stanley brought the house down after 6:20 of the second period when he tied the score, blazing a shot from inside the Victoria blue line following a face-off near the Bapcos' net. Harney's vision was partially screened by players in front of his net. Little over two minutes later Bapcos regained the lead. Les Bird taking a pass from Elmer Kreller, drawing Langill out of position and slipping the puck into the empty side. Five minutes later it was 3 to 1 on the strength of a brilliant goal by Norm LaCree.

Breaking fast with Kreller the pair, coasted over the Nanaimo blue line and LaCree took the pass but fell on the ice. While sliding flat on his back LaCree

Hockey Standings

NATIONAL HOCKEY LEAGUE					
	W	L	D	P	P.
Rangers	24	13	1	14	49
Toronto	22	12	3	13	47
Boston	21	12	5	14	47
Chicago	13	14	3	11	32
Americans	13	24	1	10	27
Detroit	12	23	3	10	27
Canadians	11	25	7	9	18

COAST LEAGUE					
	W	L	D	P	P.
Victoria	14	11	3	11	31
Nanaimo	14	13	1	12	29
Vancouver	13	12	2	10	29
N. Westminster	9	14	5	11	23

poked the puck into the far side of the net. Just before the close of the period Jackie Mann went around the Victoria defence and tried to pick the small side of the net only to have Harney kick the puck to the corner.

Clippers pressed hard with the opening of the third period and sliced Bapcos' lead to a single goal. Toad Klein picking up a loose puck in front of the Nanaimo goal and flipping it behind Harney. Nanaimo continued to keep play in Bapcos' zone but the Victoria club threw up a stonewall defence. With less than three minutes of play left Kilpatrick, McIntyre and Algar broke out with only one Nanaimo player, on defence. McIntyre carrying the puck slipped it to Kilpatrick, who returned the compliment, and big Mac just tapped it into the cage. Clippers threw every player up the ice and managed to register their third goal with 33 seconds of play remaining. Bill Sutherland batting home Mann's pass.

Only two penalties were handed out. Niek Smith and Bird going off the ice together in the second period.

LINE-UPS

Nanaimo—Langill, MacKay, Dube, Carr, Neilson, Martinson, Subbs, Smith, Kilburn, Klein, Stanley, Mann, Sutherland. Victoria—Harney, Sutherland, McIntyre, Kilpatrick, Algar, Dunn, Subbs, Euerby, Kreller, Bird, LaCree, Wilson.

SUMMARY

First period—1, Victoria, Algar (Kilpatrick, Dunn), 14:57. Penalties, Smith, Bird. Second period—2, Nanaimo, Stanley, 6:20; 3, Victoria, Bird (Kreller), 8:32; 4, Victoria, LaCree (Kreller), 13:07. No penalties. Third period—5, Nanaimo, Klein, 1:24; 6, Victoria, McIntyre (Kilpatrick), 17:15; 7, Nanaimo, Sutherland (Mann), 19:27. No penalties.

Morenz's Son Will Play With Canadians

MONTREAL (CP) — Fourteen-year-old Howie Morenz, son of the famous Montreal Canadiens' forward, and now a student at the University of Ottawa, will come to Montreal to fill his father's shoes in a Victory Loan all-star game between former Canadians and Montreal Maroons, Feb. 24, it was announced Monday night.

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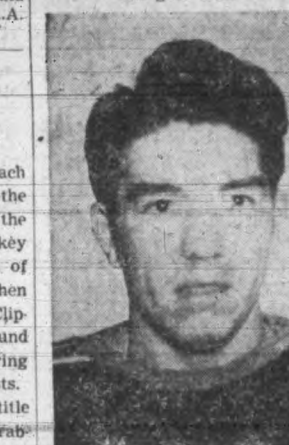
He started fighting at the age of 15 after a promoter who saw him sitting wide-eyed at a Bourne-memoir show told him if he wanted to be a boxer to "get into a booth, and if you come out alive you'll be O.K."

SUITE'S KNOCKOUT

A "booth" is a circus rink in



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which some hairy giant challenges the world to go five rounds with him. Most customers take one look at the giant's flattened nose and cauliflower ears and go home. Mills didn't.

He went to booth where a certain Gipsy Daniels was holding forth, stepped into the ring, blackened Daniels' eye and woke up five minutes later. Daniels, a former light-heavyweight champion, liked the youngster's game-ness and hired him.

From then on it was a succession of fights for Mills. He spent his days in the ring and his nights traveling from town to town, taking on anyone who wanted to fight and winning most of his bouts by whirlwind knockouts.

At present Mills is a sergeant instructor in the R.A.F. He keeps in condition by fighting at service shows and spends his leaves boxing.

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Hospital Boost Plea Presented

The Jubilee Hospital estimates, tentatively listed \$10,000 above last year's allocation, will be discussed by Mayor Andrew McGavin and city representatives on the hospital board before any definite action is taken on them, the mayor stated Monday.

His remarks followed presentation of the hospital's case by Dr. P. W. Walker, superintendent, and Edwin Tomlin, member of the board, to the council in committee of the whole.

"The cost of commodities and wages have gone up and we can't possibly operate on the amount we are getting," Dr. Walker said. He told the council in 1938 the hospital did \$60,000 worth of work for indigents and received \$49,000 in grants from the city. Last year \$75,000 worth of work had been done for city indigents and the grant had been lowered to \$45,000.

Building of the new block at the hospital last year had entailed expenditure of a large share of the institution's capital, he said.

The hospital was not approaching the city for A.R.P. costs, because it felt that responsibility rested with the federal government, the superintendent added. He noted costs saved the city in handling the isolation cases by the hospital and remarked the shifting of indigents out of hospital had been speeded as much as possible without danger to the cases.

SEEK STATEMENT

The mayor asked for a statement of expenditure and revenue and promised to meet the city members, remarking to the superintendent:

"You may get your \$10,000, but I don't think you will. I don't know how the extra \$10,000 got into the estimates unless it was through the persuasion of one of the aldermen."

"If it took \$49,000 to operate the hospital in 1938, I don't see how you could expect it to operate on the same now with the increase in costs," Dr. Walker replied.

Mr. Tomlin said wages of hospital employees had gone up before the ceiling had been placed on pay last year—and even so we are paying a very poor standard. We've always been

ashamed of the wages we've paid at the Jubilee Hospital."

The directors always had their heads under water financially because the hospital did such an amount of indigent work, he said. "We are making our money go as far as we can," he said, adding the Royal Jubilee Hospital was one of the greatest war industries in Victoria.

The extra \$10,000 included in the 1942 estimates did not cover a cost of living bonus, Dr. Walker said in reply to question by Alderman B. J. Gadsden.

Make Head Street Through Road

Head Street, from Work Point Barracks to Esquimalt Road, will be made an arterial highway on request from Major-General R. O. Alexander, G.O.C., Pacific Command. Maj. Gen. Alexander's request was received by the Esquimalt Council at its last meeting and was referred to Police Chief H. W. Pecknold for a report.

In his report to the council, on Monday night, the chief recommended that Head Street be made an arterial highway because of the constant heavy military traffic upon it. An amendment will be made to the traffic by-law and submitted to the next meeting of the council for its first reading.

The council endorsed the resolution of the city council that all enemy aliens be removed from the coast to points of safety in the interior. A letter from the city had asked for endorsement.

The council will ask Major A. W. Swan if the Department of National Defence would be able to supply the sidewalk it has asked for on Victoria View Road from Signal Centre to Peters Street.

The council pointed out that almost all traffic on that road was military traffic. The department had asked for a sidewalk for the protection of soldiers who had to walk on the narrow road which carried heavy traffic.

A letter was received and filed from John Baxter, Mayor McGavin's secretary, asking the assistance of the Esquimalt Council in finding new quarters for the Esquimalt branch of the Salvation Army, forced to vacate the old Victoria West fire hall because of the need of that building for A.R.P. purposes. Mr. Baxter will be informed there are no vacancies in Esquimalt.

BOXING

BALTIMORE — Red Burman, 188, Baltimore, outpointed Johnny Shkor, 214, Baltimore (12).

CHICAGO — Jimmy Reeves, 168, Cleveland, outpointed Nate Bolden, 162½, Chicago (10).

Bank Employees Do Salvage Work



Employees of the main branch of the Bank of Montreal, Yates and Douglas Streets, who are working each Saturday afternoon for the B.C. Salvage Corps at the Cloverdale salvage barn are shown, lined up alongside the Salvage Corps trucks. They are, from left to right: R. Press, Miss S. Piddington, Miss E. Anderson, Miss H. Stevens and Miss D. Pratt.

City Council Topics

City Air Raid Sirens Reported in Vancouver

Victoria's air raid sirens are being assembled in Vancouver, and Vancouver's have not yet arrived there, the City Council heard Monday afternoon.

That information was secured in a number of long-distance telephone relays arising from Alderman Archie Willis' objection to the "dilly-dallying" on the siren issue. The alderman said Vancouver was trying out sirens and Victoria had nothing but a brewery whistle, the V.M.D. whistle, two other plant whistles and the fire engine sirens. Parts of the district would never hear a warning blast if a raid occurred, he said, suggesting the council go in a body to the Premier and insist on immediate action.

As a result of discussion, F. L. Shaw, city solicitor, was instructed to telephone Vancouver to see how it received its sirens before Victoria, a city in more immediate danger, in the council's opinion, secured them.

Mr. Shaw phoned and reported he had been unable to reach the mayor of Vancouver; had sought the information from the Vancouver city clerk's office, and had

received word back through Major S. F. Moodie, provincial A.R.P. officer here, that Victoria's sirens were in Vancouver, etc. The reply had come from Major Moodie, Mr. Shaw explained, because Vancouver had telephoned the provincial official following Victoria's call to the mainland city. He could not pin Major Moodie down to a day on which they would be delivered here, Mr. Shaw reported.

Assured by Alderman W. L. Morgan the sum was sufficient to meet the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau's needs for six weeks, the City Council Monday authorized payment of \$1,500 to that body on account of any 1942 grant. The council tabled for later discussion a move from Alderman Morgan that the city's grant to the bureau be reduced again to \$15,000 instead of the \$17,500 approved in estimates committee. A conference on the city-bureau question was held today.

Having approved a resolution to prevent issuance of building permits for the erection of prefabricated houses here until they had been approved individually by the public works and lands and zoning committees, the council reversed itself on a recorded vote covering the issue. It found the first move would have laid the city and building inspector open to court action, according to the city solicitor. When it became involved in rules of order technicalities, the council solved its problems by having the motion withdrawn.

Earlier the council had accepted a report of the public works committee informing a citizen seeking to build prefabricated houses here that no provision for such work was included in the building by-law. He could, the council said, take the matter up with the building board of appeal.

"There is a lot of merit in the proposal, but in view of the criticism to which this council has been subjected in the matter of certain duplexes and Wartime Housing Ltd. structures, we could not recommend these houses," Alderman Ed. Williams said. He foresaw them as a development of the future.

The Producers Sand and Gravel Co. Ltd. was given the contract to supply to the city sand and gravel at \$1.50 per cubic yard, crushed rock at \$2 a cubic yard, and screenings at \$2.50 a cubic yard, subject to the usual discount. Evans, Coleman and Johnson Ltd. were given the contract for cement at \$2.73 per barrel, and the Rose Fuel Co. the contract for slack coal at \$5.80 a ton.

Efforts will be made to have the priorities officer in Ottawa give right-of-way to applications for new homes and apartments here in order to facilitate construction to relieve the housing problem. That action was taken on the suggestion of the public works committee.

A resolution from Windsor, Ont., seeking extension of federal loans to assist those wishing to build homes was disapproved, with the land committee explaining no further leniency could be allowed if sound financing were to be maintained.

Purchases of grass catchers and tennis court equipment from David Spencer Ltd. for \$444, and of grass seed from Brackman-Ker at 16 cents a pound were ap-

proved on the recommendation of the parks committee. That group reported satisfactory progress in preparation of hanging baskets for 1942.

John S. Campbell's application for retirement from the city garbage department on pension Feb. 1 was accepted.

Removal of certain boulevard shrubs on Stanley, Heywood and Burdett Avenues at the request of petitioners was authorized, but the parks committee refused to seek removal of a big chestnut on Rupert Street.

Rearrangement of the parks staff to place T. E. Astley in charge of the nursery as well as general park work at Beacon Hill and to appoint a permanent parks worker in place of a day laborer were undertaken as the council accepted the application of H. Lindsey, nursery foreman, for leave of absence to go to Gordon Head for military training.

The council approved reductions in water board and library estimates and forwarded the revised figures to the estimates committee for consideration.

Food supply tenders for the Old Men's Home were accepted as follows: Bread at 4.9 cents a pound from W. S. Norrington; milk at 32 cents a gallon from R. Rendle and fish at from 7 to 20 cents a pound from B. W. Brown and Son.

Stationery contracts were awarded as follows: \$258.10 worth of envelopes from the Economy Press; \$45.68 worth of letterheads from Diggon-Hibben Ltd.; \$33.64 worth of billheads, journal transfers, etc., from the Colonist Printing and Publishing Co. Ltd.; \$302.13 worth of typewriting paper from the same concern, and \$260.55 worth of paper from the Victoria Book and Stationery Ltd.

A plea for financial assistance from St. Joseph's Hospital was referred to the estimates committee for consideration, as was a request for a grant from the Victoria Horticultural Society.

The lands committee was asked to report on a request from the Burnside P.T.A. for a playground in that area. Another request for improvement in the school sign at Manchester Road was referred to the public works committee.

Tenders will be called for Exide batteries or batteries of a similar type for the city's two-way radio system as the result of discussion Monday. Francis Batteries and Jones Brothers had written the council saying they had not previously had an opportunity to bid on the equipment.

A letter from A. T. Hodgkinson asking if the city considered camouflaging the Sooke Lake pipe line was referred to the water board.

Two applications for sick pay were granted.

U.S. Soldiers Sit In Ontario Chamber

TORONTO (CP)—History was made in the Ontario Legislature Monday when a picked unit from the 6th Corps of the 1st United States army thronged into the Legislative Chamber and took over the seats usually reserved for the elected representatives of the people.

The American soldiers, under command of Brig. Gen. Thomas Troland, and fully equipped, were inspected by Hon. Albert Matthews, Ontario Lieutenant-Governor, before they entered the building. They came here as a feature of the second Victory Loan campaign.

Pitch, Putt Golf In Beacon Hill Is Abandoned

Pitch and putt golf plans for Beacon Hill Park's Heywood Avenue grounds were buried under an avalanche of protests from the Local Council of Women and residents of the district at Monday's City Council meeting.

The Local Council rolled up its artillery and blazed away at any defenses to the scheme until nothing remained but a vague murmur of apology from parks committee members who had recommended lease of the grounds to C. N. High for \$50 a year for his proposed course.

Mrs. Hugh Mackenzie led the assault against "alienation of a part of a public park" by commercial interests. She said she had noted mention of gambling in connection with the scheme and, after looking up the definition, thought the council should not tie the hands of the civic body for the next 10 years on a risky undertaking.

The latter argument was emphasized by a second speaker, while Mrs. D. L. MacLaurin, suggesting the proposal looked like one "from a concessionaire who wants to make a pot of money," said Beacon Hill Park was primarily a garden park and the majority of taxpayers wanted to preserve it as such. "Don't sell our birthright for a mess of pottage," she pleaded.

WANT PARK COMMISSIONERS

Another speaker suggested the time had arrived for a change in administration of parks, saying a board of parks commissioners should be appointed.

All emphasized the fact there was no analogy between Beacon Hill and Stanley Park, Vancouver,

where a course is in operation. The latter was far greater in area and could accommodate such a set-up, they said.

Frank Higgins, K.C., appearing for residents of the Heywood Avenue area, spoke of a possible injunction to prevent the lease. "You claim this is unlawful?" asked Alderman Ed. Williams.

"Absolutely," Mr. Higgins replied. To question by Alderman Archie Willis he said the people thought it was detrimental.

Mrs. F. Forrest, owner of the Tweedsmuir Apartments, said she had paid \$4,500 in taxes during the last five years, would lose her tenants if the course were constructed and that her taxes surely offset the revenue of \$50 a year the city would secure under the lease.

WOULD TURN IN GRAVE

"I'm sure Sir James Douglas would turn in his grave at the thought," she said.

Alderman B. J. Gadsden, speaking for the parks committee, stated his group had considered the proposal in good faith, had thought the course would be an attraction and wished the motion referred back to the committee.

Alderman Willis moved the lease application be refused. Alderman W. H. Davies, also a member of the parks committee, said the group had been carried away by the scheme and now realized it was not what they had thought. He favored Alderman Willis' motion.

Alderman D. D. McTavish, parks-board chairman, agreed. His great grandfather had given the deed for the park and his grandfather had opposed commercial interests in it, he said.

Mayor McGavin said, in justice to the parks committee, they had looked on the scheme as an attraction and had not anticipated the opposition it had met.

On the vote the Willis' motion was carried without dissent.

NEWARK — Artie Aedesco, 137, Jersey City, outpointed Frankie Conn, 140, Lyndhurst, N.J. (8).

Motorist Fined \$50

Karl Boucher, who failed to stop at a stop sign at Lyall and Fraser and crashed into an army motorcycle Jan. 18, was fined \$50 and his license suspended for six months when he appeared before Magistrate H. C. Hall in Esquimalt court Monday. The driver of the motorcycle suffered extensive injuries and is still in hospital. The motorcycle was damaged to the extent of \$210.

Oscar States pleaded guilty of stealing three hens from Charles A. Adams, 877 Old Esquimalt Road. He was fined \$25.

Five motorists were fined \$2.50 each for infractions of parking regulations. One driver was fined \$5 for failing to stop at a stop sign. Another motorist was found guilty of parking in a prohibited area but, because there were numerous other cars there and he said he saw no parking sign, he was fined only \$1.

Wins War Certificate

Marlene Earle, 257 Cook Street, Monday presented to Canada's Second Victory Loan headquarters here the first leaflet entitling a citizen to a war certificate prize in the contest conducted in connection with distribution of advertising pamphlets by war planes.

The leaflets were scattered during the first Victory Loan plane flight in the afternoon. More, including specially marked sheets entitling finders to War Certificates, will be scattered on Feb. 21 and 25 and on March 2. Specially marked leaflets must be presented to headquarters within the specified time.

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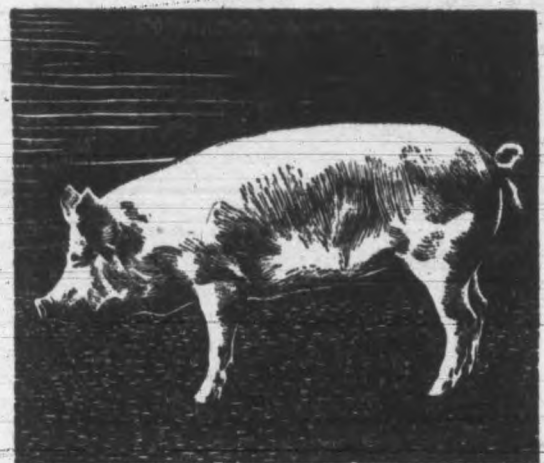
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Copyright Holders Get More Revenue

OTTAWA (CP)—Music copyright organizations will collect a larger total of fees in 1942, although basic rates paid on broadcasting are not increased, a ruling of the Copyright Appeal Board shows.

On the basis of the number of licensed receiving sets in Canada, the Canadian Performing Rights Society Ltd. may collect \$116,377 in 1942, against \$107,612 in 1940. The basis of calculation is an allowance of 8 cents for each of 1,454,717 licensed radio sets.

B.M.I. Canada Ltd. may collect 1 cent for each licensed radio set, or a total of \$14,547, against \$13,451 in 1940.

The fees are paid by the broadcasting stations.

Each year the organizations holding music copyrights present a schedule of proposed fees, and hearings are held by the Copyright Appeal Board, which transmits its findings to the Secretary of State.

The board rejected a proposal for a general license for the use of copyright music on machines where records are played by inserting of a coin. The Performing Rights Society suggested an annual fee of \$10 for each such instrument.

The society was permitted to collect an annual fee of \$1 for each 16 millimeter film with a sound-track used for commercial purposes and containing any musical work in respect of which the society is empowered to grant a license.

Other fees remain unchanged in the 1942 schedule.

J. A. Kendall of Alberni Passes

PORT ALBERNI (CP)—Funeral services will be held here tomorrow for John Alexander Kendall, 80, mayor of Port Alberni in 1928 and again in 1931, who died here yesterday.

Born in Newfoundland, Mr. Kendall had lived in this district for the last 41 years. Besides his widow he leaves five sons, Harry and William, Port Alberni; John, Stanley and Nelson of Vancouver, and one daughter, Ethel, Vancouver.

At one time coffee was considered an intoxicant—its use was forbidden throughout the Ottoman Empire under penalty of death.

NEED WILL POWER AS WELL AS ARMS

Maj. Harold Brown, Vancouver, president of the Union Steamship Company and past president of the Vancouver Board of Trade, called on Canadians to take a greater individual responsibility in the prosecution of the war, when he spoke to the annual meeting of the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau Monday.

The job of Canadian civilians was to spread good will and good cheer everywhere to help the citizens take a cheerful and faithful outlook on the war situation, he said.

"We are not up against armaments only," Maj. Brown said, "but up against irresistible national will power. Germany, Italy and Japan are a powerful and vindictive foe."

"Our long range of indulgent life, this resting on our oars, has eaten into our national core. Our fought-for inheritances have been used as a chunk of cheese."

"Fire and power of spirit is infinitely more important than armaments. Without that spirit no amount of armaments will help us. We are up against the spirit of our enemies, not only their arms."

He appealed to the citizens of this country to dedicate themselves anew, to love and loyalty to Canada and to make friendships and to get away from gossip and small talk.

Maj. Brown said he looked to the stimulus of the British Empire's fighting comradeship with the United States to engender national will power.

"There could be no more dramatic episode in history," he said, "than these two English-speaking countries coming together in the fight for sundered liberties."

A national government and a declaration of national emergency, he said, were also needed to awake the Canadian people from complacency.

Six members were elected to the board of directors of the bureau at the meeting. They were W. J. Clark, E. N. Horsey, Harold Husband, Capt. R. W. McMurray, G. H. Stevens and J. Harold Wilson.

Civic representatives will be Aldermen W. H. Davies, B. J. Gadsden and E. Williams. These men were nominated by Mayor Andrew McGavin and received unanimous acceptance at the meeting.

A motion of appreciation, proposed by J. C. Pendray, to the mayor and council for the assistance given to the board was unanimously endorsed.

McNaughton Urges Loan Support

OTTAWA (CP)—Lt. Gen. A. G. L. McNaughton, commander of the Canadian corps, said Monday night in a radio address that without the support provided by Canadians' subscriptions to the second Victory Loan, "our activities overseas must shortly wither up and cease to be of value in the cause of freedom."

Gen. McNaughton spoke over the national network of the CBC in support of the \$600,000,000 loan campaign. He was introduced by Mr. Justice T. C. Davis, Associate Deputy Minister of National War Services.

The corps commander referred to projected developments of the Canadian armed forces during the coming year and said he had every opportunity for full inquiry in the part with which he was particularly concerned.

"The project, as it stands, commands itself to my judgment," Gen. McNaughton said.

"I use the word 'project' advisedly, for 'project' the whole effort is until funds for its execution are made available through the proceeds of this loan."

"Subscription to this call is, therefore, your opportunity to give your order to proceed."

Of the men overseas, Gen. McNaughton said:

"Our men overseas are in good heart. They are doing the task assigned to them in the most vital citadel of freedom. They have trained to high effectiveness."

Mr. Justice Davis is his brief introductory talk said the past week had been difficult and trying. It was inevitable that Canadians must steel themselves for periods "just as dark, if not darker."

"It is time that we squarely faced the fact that we are in a war for our survival and our existence," he said.

Enough brass to make cartridge cases for 1,000,000 artillery shells a year will be saved by using substitutes for brass in shoe eyelets, the War Production Board has announced.

PLAZA THEATRE

When movie players aren't working, they're usually in their dressing-rooms, as far away from the set as they can get. But not Bruce Cabot. Since the "Sundown" company was working in a vast cave which completely covered one of the huge stages at Walter Wanger Studios, the leading male player in this story of modern wartime Africa hung around the stage, inspecting the various wonders of the cave, which serves as a setting for the exciting climax of "Sundown," which is now showing at the Plaza Theatre.

In his boyhood, Cabot, who lived at Carlsbad, N.M., fairly haunted the famous Carlsbad Caverns, and caves have fascinated him ever since.

DOMINION THEATRE
When a woman loves a man well enough to be willing to die for him, she is supplying the elements of sheer drama. And this is the key situation in "Suspicion," unique drama co-starring Cary Grant and Joan Fontaine, and now being shown at the Dominion Theatre.

The gripping plot revolves about the strange romance of the reckless black sheep of a famous family and the repressed country heiress whom he marries. His own misdeeds, plus her imaginative suspicions, make for the many tense moments in the unfolding of the story.

Alfred Hitchcock directed the RKO Radio production, with Sir Cedric Hardwicke, Nigel Bruce and Dame May Whitty featured.

YORK THEATRE
They hope that nothing will ever happen to their ship, but in the event that such an emergency arises, the sailors on the recently-commissioned McCawley have already taken care of the matter. They voted Dorothy Lamour as the star they'd all like to be shipwrecked with.

In their letter to her, they declared that there was not one dissenting vote among the 500 gobs aboard the ship which, at the time of writing, was stationed at Puerto Rico.

The glamorous, laudacious Dorothy was properly flattered, but answered that inasmuch as she is currently appearing with Bob Hope in "Caught in the Draft," which is now at the York Theatre, she's got her hands full being true to the army.

Her three rookie musketeers, Bob Hope, Lynne Overman and Eddie Bracken, keep her plenty busy.

RIO THEATRE
One of the most provocative and exciting motion pictures to reach the screen within recent years was unreleased last night at the Rio Theatre under the title of "Trade Winds." Produced by Walter Wanger for United Artists release with a capitally chosen cast headed by Frederic March and Joan Bennett, the raw film is a fast-moving, romantic melodrama, smartly fashioned to contain all the elements of fine entertainment.

CAPITOL THEATRE
Many high-powered descriptive adjectives have been used by Hollywood correspondents and commentators to describe various movies, but never before have they been used in such complete agreement as for Warner Bros. "Sergeant York," which is currently at the Capitol Theatre.

The following are some of the raves that were spoken or written of "Sergeant York":

Walter Winchell—"Sergeant York," one of the greatest entertainments of all time. A Yankee Doodle Dandy that I urge everyone to see."

Dorothy Kilgallen, "Journal-American"—"Gold stars to 'Sergeant York,' one of the best pictures Hollywood has unreleased in years."

Just before lunch, Joan Crawford and Robert Taylor rehearsed a comedy scene for Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's "When Ladies Meet" starring them with Greer Garson and Herbert Marshall, and now at the Atlas Theatre. Taylor had a line reading, "Women are like eggs, my darling—if they're good, they're good. And if they're not—phooey!" "A little more emphasis on the 'phooey,'" Bob," said Director Robert Z. Leonard. "Make the audience smell the egg."

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OAK BAY THEATRE
An ordinary tent-affair placed on the pavement opposite the Bank of England attracted little or no attention one morning recently. To all outward appearances it was just another telephone testing booth. It bore all the earmarks of such even to loose-cables and blowlamps which were lying around.

Suddenly, however, several men emerged from beneath the cover carrying cameras and other necessary film-making implements. They had been waiting six hours for an opportunity to film a city street scene for Gaumont's "3 On a Week-end," now at the Oak Bay Theatre.

CADET THEATRE
Playing starring roles together for the third time, Bob Hope and Paulette Goddard are seen in the new Paramount farce comedy, "Nothing But the Truth," now current at the Cadet Theatre.

They were comedy-teamed in "The Cat and the Canary" and "The Ghost Breakers" previously.

Weatherfish, an European species, show signs of nervousness during the approach of storms; in certain parts of Europe they are kept in bowls to serve as weather prophets.

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May	130-2	130-2	131-2	130-2	130-2	United States	3
July	132	132-2	132-2	131-7	132-5	Oakalla	24
Sept.	132	134	134-6	133-9	134-4	Pacific Pine	3
Corn						Pacific Pile	15
May	87-5	87-7	88-4	87-5	88-1	Royal Canadian	18
July	89-4	89-5	90-3	88-9	90-2	Royalist	1
Sept.	91-2	91-6	92-1	91-3	91-6	United Oil	4
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						MIXES	
						Bayonne Cons.	
						Bralsore	775
						Cariboo Gold	14
						Gold Belt	18
						Grandview	10
						Island and Coke	10
						Island Mountain	10
						Kootenay Beler	10
						Pacific Nadel	10
						Pend Oreille	140
						Pioneer Gold	155
						Promer Gold	15
						Privatizer	35
						Reyes McDonald	17
						Reno Gold	35
						Sheep Creek	70
						Silhat Premier	10
						Surf Iron	8
						MISCELLANEOUS	
						Coast Breweries	112
						United Distillers	95

Montreal Produce

MONTREAL (CP)—Spot: Butter, Quebec (92 score), 35 to 35½; western (92 score) 34½ to 35.
 Eastern A large, 33½; A medium 31½; A pullets, 28½.
 Futures, Butter, February-March, 54¢ to 55½; April, 54½ to 54¾.
 Eggs—February, 32b.

Commissions Advanced

TORONTO (CP)—The management-committee of the Toronto Stock Exchange has approved changes in the schedule of commissions to be charged by broker members on trades in stocks which will mean a considerable increase in the cost of buying and selling stocks of the higher-price brackets. The change will come into effect in the near future when the Montreal exchange, it is said, will make similar adjustments.

The new schedule will increase commissions 5 cents a share on industrial stocks at \$10 or more, up to \$75 and by ½ cent to 5 cents on mining and oil stocks selling at \$2 and over. Up to \$3 a share the commission will be 3 cents instead of 2; on stocks priced at \$3 to \$4 the commission will be 5 cents a share instead of 4 and on stocks worth \$7.50 to \$15 the rates will be increased 5 cents.

Metals Prices

LONDON (AP)—Bar silver 23½¢ changed. (Equivalent 42.62 cents.)

Foreign Exchange

NEW YORK (AP)—Foreign exchange late rates:
 Canada—Official Canadian Control Board rates for dollars: Buying, 10 per cent premium; selling, 11 per cent premium; equivalent to discount Canadian dollars in New York buying, 9.91 per cent; selling, per cent.
 Canadian dollar in New open market, 21.716 per cent count, or 88.56½ U.S. cent—100 of a cent.
 Europe—Great Britain, or (Bankers' Foreign Exchange Committee rates): Buying, selling, \$4.04, open market; \$4.04.

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OUT OUR WAY

By Williams



Uncle Ray

Some Masai Warriors Wear Monkey-fur Headdress

Of all the dark-skinned natives of Africa, there are none which produce bolder or more warlike men than the Masai. These people live in east-central Africa, in the land around Kilimanjaro Mountain.

The Masai are partly, but not entirely, of negro stock. In their veins flows the blood of the Hamite race, as well as the Bantu.



Masai men have been called "the boldest lion-hunters in the world." Armed with spears, knobbed sticks and short swords, they dare to attack the savage, roaring beasts.

When a Masai warrior kills a lion, he may skin it and cut off the head part to decorate his own head. More commonly he wears the long fur of a white monkey about his head, or else plumes taken from the tail of an ostrich.

The warriors are tall, and their bodies are well formed. Often they plaster their faces with red or white clay. They "paint up" chiefly when they go forth to war.

Through most of their history, these people have not needed much excuse to make war. They would fight whenever they could find some small reason to do so.

Even in past times, however, they had a special custom of peace. When there was a market day in a village or town, they would lay aside their weapons. They felt that it was wrong to fight when trading was going on.

After the British took charge of Masailand, good roads were built all over the country. These roads joined scores of villages and towns.

That was not enough, however. People were afraid to travel on the roads lest they be set upon and attacked.

So the British brought about a "road law." This law gave all persons the right to walk or ride in peace on the roads. The people were taught that it was just as wrong to attack a person on a road as in a village on market-day.

The road law has worked well. In these times, thousands of persons in Masailand travel about with a feeling of safety.

Masai men live in barracks while serving as warriors. Later, when they are from 25 to 30 years old, they leave the barracks and buy a wife. For a wife a warrior may pay as much as three cows and two sheep.

Against Plebiscite

SOOKE—A petition asking that the Dominion government abandon its conscription plebiscite and institute total conscription at once, supported by 90 per cent of the residents of East Sooke, has been forwarded to a member of the House of Commons, it has been announced by Mrs. Joan Yates, secretary-treasurer of the East Sooke Farmers' Institute.

Beginning Feb. 7, two members of the institute canvassed the district with the petition asking that the plebiscite be dropped because of the waste of time and expense involved, stating that "it is expedient that the government act forthwith for total conscription."

HOROSCOPE

FEBRUARY 18
Aspects seem to promise amazing good luck in changes that mean progress toward national fulfillment of democratic ideals. Evil aspects of Neptune are believed to encourage foreign government publicity agencies to misrepresent the results of battles. The habit of misrepresentation will mark our foes in all their dealings. Lack of faith in Axis diplomacy is to retard final peace conferences.

Persons whose birthdate it is have the augury of a year of ups and downs. Children born on this day probably will be studious and successful. Many scientists belong to this sign.

Better English

1. What is wrong with this sentence? "He claims that the speaker was wrong."

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



Dorothy Dix's Letter Box

DEAR MISS DIX—Is it proper for a girl's parents to give her a hope chest as a birthday present, or is it only right that a girl's fiancé should give one to her?

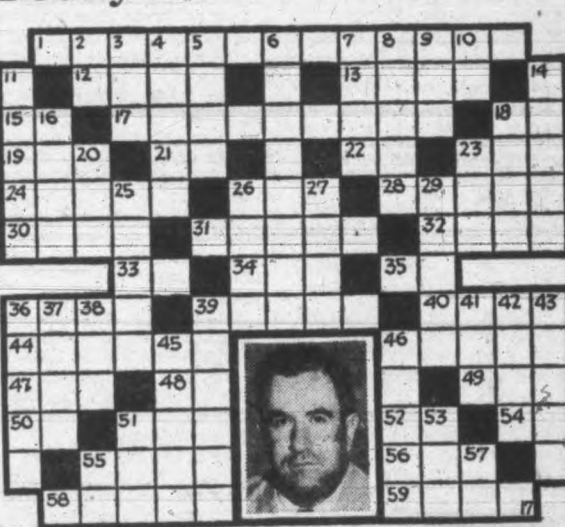
ANSWER: Quite proper. In fact, all hope chests were originally given to girls as part of their dowries.

DEAR DOROTHY DIX—I am a widow with a 17-year-old daughter. During the winter I teach school for a living and keep my daughter with me, but in the summertime I go back to my parents. Now, although I have just about furnished the home and in addition buy most of the groceries when my child and I are with them, my parents have made us understand that they consider us a burden and that we are not welcome. They seldom speak to us and when they do, it is rudely done. We are not even allowed to have our friends visit us. My daughter is taking a secretarial course and hopes to soon get employment. Could you suggest any work that I could do during the summer?

ANSWER: It seems most unnatural in your parents not to want you to stay with them in the summer, but old people are very notional and if they do not want you, you should not force yourself upon them.

DOROTHY DIX.

Today's Crossword Puzzle



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|-------------------|--------------------|-------------------|------------------|
| HORIZONTAL | 35 Upon. | (abbr.). | 10 High school |
| 1 Pictured | 36 Diminish. | 55 In good taste. | (abbr.). |
| statesman, | 39 Niggard. | 56 Egyptian | 11 Goblet. |
| 12 Opposed to | 40 Snaky fish | goddess. | 14 Sojourn. |
| borrow. | (pl.). | 58 Territory in | 16 Gravel. |
| 13 Son of Seth | 44 Card game for | Argentina. | 18 Impost. |
| (Bib.). | two persons. | 59 Variety of | 20 Exist. |
| 15 Life guard | 46 Wind | chalcony. | 23 Brazilian |
| (abbr.). | instrument. | VERTICAL | money of |
| 17 He is — of | 47 Body part. | 2 Morindin dye. | 25 Shoe part. |
| a North | 48 Type of cattle. | 3 Fibre knots. | 26 Against. |
| American | 49 English | 5 English | 27 Sweet. |
| country. | money of | statesman. | 29 Farther in. |
| 18 Symbol for | account. | 5 English | 36 Calumniate. |
| terbium. | 50 Symbol for | 6 Deep reds. | 37 Genus of |
| 19 Constellation. | iridium. | 7 Mild of | maples. |
| 21 Within. | 51 Cuckoo. | temper. | 38 Child's game. |
| 22 Chinese | 52 And (Latin). | 8 Tease. | 39 He heads the |
| measure. | 54 Kitchen police. | 9 Folding bed. | government |
| 23 Rootstock of | a fern used as | | |

- Answers to Previous Puzzle
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| 41 Self. | 42 Bird. |
| 43 Breaks short. | 44 Spring |
| 45 medicine. | 46 Parts of |
| 47 stoves. | 48 Exclamation. |
| 49 Philippine | 50 dyewood tree. |
| 51 Chinese | (abbr.). |
| 52 Transpose | (abbr.). |

Boots and Her Buddies



Wash Tubs



Mr. and Mrs.



Alley Oop



Freckles and His Friends



Bringing Up Father



By Roy Crane



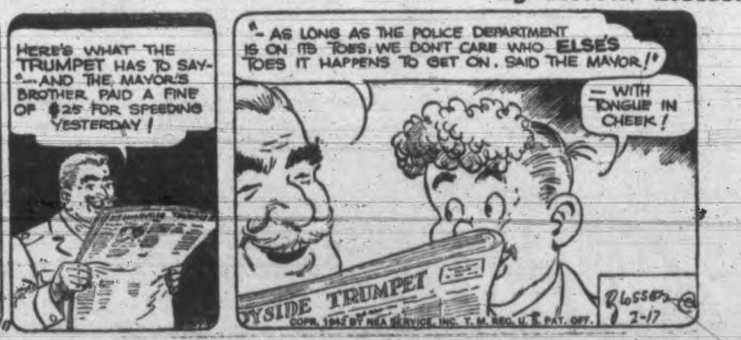
By Arthur Folwell and Ellison Hoover



By V. T. Hamlin



By Merrill Blosser



By George McManus



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First Loan Subscriber



John Sparks, four-and-a-half, received the first certificate of honor in Victoria's Second Victory Loan headquarters Monday. His father, Harry Sparks, is one of the many salesmen who started today to cover the Vancouver Island region. The bond will form part of an educational account for John when he starts school. Full information on the loan may be secured from Victoria loan headquarters, 1205 Government Street, or over the telephone by dialing Beacon 2176.

"To Hell With Japs"

Don't Let Boys Down, Buy Bonds, Padre Urges

"To hell with the Japs," shouted Col. Rev. Sidney Lambert, O.B.E., chaplain of Christie Street Military Hospital, Toronto, Monday as he delivered a rousing Victory Loan address before the Men's Canadian Club in the Empress Hotel.

He gave millions to F. E. Winslow, Vancouver Island divisional chairman of the loan organization. The millions were in German marks.

"Here's the money, and it hasn't been worth a cent since the Allies were victorious in the last war," he said, waving the paper.

"Give your money now," he urged, pointing to the marks to show how valueless it would be unless victory were achieved.

"If we are to be victorious, we must pay as much for the peace as we do for the war," he said. Canada could afford to pay a lot for Victory Bonds because Canada, including the church, had not paid a dollar for peace, he said.

"Canada is asking you to loan \$600,000,000 for what Canada is asking these young men to offer their lives," Col. Lambert said, referring to the sacrifice of men on active service.

"Victory is an achievement, but you have to work for it. Do we love the land in which we live? Is it worth the life we possess? That's what you ask of the young men," he said, adding it was little enough to procure a Victory Bond, with the interest it yielded the investor.

DON'T LET THEM DOWN

He spoke of his two sons, one at Royal Roads after two years on the lower deck on the Atlantic, the other a private in a tank brigade.

"Don't you dare let them down—don't you dare send my boy to the front, my boy at Royal Roads or in the tank corps, unless you give them the best equipment, the best ship," he said.

"Who do these Japs think they are?" he asked. "Why, I'll back my kid against any 20 of them."

Earlier he had said: "Don't desert what Canada is doing for heaven's sake," he said, referring to the war effort. As many were in the war now as there were in the whole of the last war, he said.

"We did win the last war, didn't we," he asked. "These Germans can be licked. If these

young fellows can't lick 'em, they'll send us old guys back," he said, calling for confirmation from his fellow members of the Amputations Association, guests at the luncheon.

OPPORTUNITY TO DO SOMETHING

"We are only remembered by the deeds we have done—and this is a God-given opportunity to do something," Col. Lambert said as he called for loan subscriptions.

"There could be no furlough until the war was over," he said. "The Prince of Wales," she shouldn't have gone to the bottom if everybody had been on the job."

He called on his audience to shun despondency, to avoid defeatism.

"I've watched men fighting for their lives, men who knew they were going to lose, and they had the courage to smile through it all," he said, calling on Canadians to keep their chins up as men had kept them up in the military hospital for which he is chaplain.

He was introduced by George Cowan, president of the Canadian Club and thanked for his address by Mr. Winslow.

Members of the Gyro Club attended the meeting following their regular luncheon.

Warmerdam Sets Vaulting Mark

BOSTON (AP)—Corny Warmerdam, the 28-year-old San Francisco schoolmaster who holds all the world pole vaulting records, made the highest one in history, 15 feet 7 1/4 inches, on his third and final try at that height at the 43rd Boston A.A. track games Saturday.

After topping the 15.74 mark Warmerdam requested officials to raise the bar to 15 feet 10 inches.

After a half-hour rest, Warmerdam made three rapid tries and appeared over on his final one, but while descending his body grazed the bar just enough to knock it off.

Greg Rice, the Notre Dame product now competing for the New York A.C., turned in the fastest two miles in Boston's history, 8.53.4.

Taken Over By U.S.

WASHINGTON (AP)—Treasury Secretary Henry Morgenthau has taken over personal control of 97 per cent of the stock of the General Aniline and Film Corporation of Delaware, large chemical and photographic supply concern. He said it formerly was owned by Germans. The corporation has 8,000 employees and has been doing about \$60,000,000 worth of business annually.

Chick Harbert Wins Playoff

SAN ANTONIO, Texas (AP)—Melvin (Chick) Harbert of Battle Creek, Mich., who birdied five of the last seven holes Sunday to tie golf's top money winner, Ben Hogan, in the Texas open, won the 18-hole championship playoff Monday. The scores were 76 and 72.

The jinx still worked for Hogan, trying to win his first major golf tournament in his home state. It was the second playoff lost by the Hershey, Pa. pro for the Texas open.

Two years ago, over the Brackenridge Park course here, Hogan and Byron Nelson tied Dutch Harrison's Texas open record of 271 strokes, and Nelson beat Ben in the playoff the next day.

Last year Hogan was second to Lawson Little, who shot a fine 273 over the Willow Springs. This year little Ben finished the two Sunday rounds 65-66, but all he could get was a tie with the youthful better from Michigan,

who crashed down the back nine on the final round with a record 30, to tie Ben at 272.

Monday Harbert went one down with a bogey on the second and got it back when Hogan bogied the par five fourth with three putts.

THREE STROKES UP

Chick went a stroke up with a birdie at the sixth, and three strokes up with a birdie to Hogan's bogey six on the par five seventh. A par four for Hogan and two pars on the ninth, gave Harbert a two-stroke back on 13 with a birdie two, and another stroke back on the 14th with a par to Harbert's five. Harbert was still one up as they both had pars on 15.

Hogan had a four at the 16th to Harbert's three and was two down. The trees got Hogan's approach on 17, and he took a buzzard six, to Harbert's four and was four down.

They halved the 18th with fours and Harbert took the title and the \$1,000 first-prize money. Hogan received \$750.

NEW YORK — Irwin (Kay) Kaplan, 156, Los Angeles, outpointed Ralph (Ripper) Zannelli, Providence, R.I. (8).

Brooklyn Signs Camilli, Davis

BROOKLYN (AP)—Dolph Camilli, the swarthy slugger who led the Brooklyn Dodgers to a National League pennant last year, signed his 1942 contract for a probable \$20,000 Monday at a hotel-room conference with President Larry MacPhail.

Their agreement, which was followed in a little while by the signing of pitcher Curt Davis, ended what might have been the most formidable holdout struggle in the senior circuit. Davis is to receive in the neighborhood of \$10,000.

Camilli has been a rugged individualist in his salary aims often in the past and his feat in leading the league with 34 homers and 120 runs batted in last year, as well as his selection as the most valuable player, gave him some talking points this time.

It developed, however, that both MacPhail and Camilli had pretty much the same ideas.

Camilli was understood to have received \$15,000 last year and before his arrival here from his

California ranch persons close to the club had indicated MacPhail was willing to yield to a \$20,000 demand.

The entire Dodger squad will board planes Wednesday for Havana, where the Dodgers will train.

Colwood Golfers Defeat R.A.F. Team

Colwood golfers scored a 17 to 3 victory over the Royal Air Force on Sunday at the local course. The airmen won three matches in the singles, but were whitewashed in the four-ball games.

Results, with the R.A.F. first mentioned, follow:

Pearson 1, Palmer 0.
Armitage 0, Macey 1.
Cann 1, Hunnings 0.
Sibbald 0, Law 1.
Gallagher 1, Sampson 0.
Richards 0, Mercer 1.
Lister 0, Cunningham 1.
Trott 0, Norton 1.
Muskill 0, Palmer 1.
Gamble 0, Smith 1.

Foursomes
Pearson and Armitage 0, Palmer and Macey 2.

R.A.F. Man Held As 'Jack-Ripper'

LONDON (CP)—A crowd of women watched today at Bow Street police station when Frederick Cummins, a 28-year-old R.A.F. aircraftman, was taken in to face a charge of murder for the "Jack-the-Ripper" slaying of three women in the West End.

A police car with drawn blinds hurried Cummins into the yard. The women surged forward, but there was no disorder.

The tall, good-looking suspect in R.A.F. uniform was remanded until Friday.

Cummins was accused of the mutilations of Mrs. Margaret Florence Lowe, 43; Mrs. Doris Jouan-

Cann and Sibbald 0, Hunnings and Law 2.
Gallagher and Richards 0, Sampson and Mercer 2.

Green and Sewell 0, Dunnett and Sach 2.
Lister and Trott 0, Cunningham and Norton 2.

Muskill and Gamble 0, Palmer and Smith 2.

net, 32, and Mrs. Evelyn Gately, 30.

Thousands of police had joined Scotland Yard searchers in the quest for the killer who had mutilated his victims' bodies with razor blades and created more fear of the night among London women than Hitler's bombs.

The only information from Scotland Yard was that all the women were found dead in their beds.

A search, however, was said to have been under way for weeks in the Croydon district, near the big airfield outside London, for a motorist who attacked and tried to garrot women he lured into his automobile and it was suspected that another sex killer might be loose in London's blacked-out streets.

Every Saturday afternoon those chaps who figure they can handle a rifle gather at the Six Mile House grounds on the Island Highway for a competition that will wind up with the presentation of a trophy and medals to the winners. The program starts at 2 and any rifleman is welcome. In last Saturday's eliminations Cecil Pearce was the winner with Bud Page runner-up. This pair qualified to shoot in the finals.

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